

Tunes cheer Metro flyers

Once upon a time street corner serenades were the thing. This Yuletide, County Exec Ed McNamara proved that terminal turtles are just as popular.

Thanks to Santa Ed, Christmas carols reverberated through the concourses of Metro Airport during the airport's 9th Annual Holiday Music Program.

A variety of choral groups and musicians from local high schools, churches, and community organizations sang for travelers.

"The Holiday Music Program is just our way of wishing customers a safe and merry Christmas. The sounds of peace and joy being heard throughout the terminals is a pleasant reminder of what this season is really about," Wayne County Executive Edward H. McNamara said.

School groups from Detroit, Dearborn, Belleville, Canton, Carlton, Clinton Township, Ply-



High school choir members belt out "Come All You Faithful." Photo courtesy Wayne County

mouth, Redford, Taylor and Livonia belted out tunes.

So did the Salvation Army, the Eastern Michigan University Gospel Choir, the Silver Strings Dulcimer Society, the Ann Arbor based Sweet Adelines, and Harmony 4 Fun New Boston's Dusty Fiddles, Alamode Quartet from Westland, and Violin Trio from Allen Park. Local church groups

from Detroit and Lathrup Village. Santa and Mrs. Claus leant a hand.

Travelers in the Smith Terminal's Ticket Lobby, near the Christmas tree at the entrance to Concourses A and B in Smith, and at the Northwest Airlines' baggage claim entrance in the Davey Terminal stopped and swayed to the groups.

King Day parade returns

By IVAN HELFMAN
MCN Staff Writer

A parade of international flags will once again commemorate Martin Luther King Day in Westland.

The parade, introduced in 1998 as Mayor Bob Thomas fulfilled a campaign promise, was dropped so the holiday could be celebrated at home like the Fourth of July and other national holidays.

When the formal city celebration began, city workers did not get the day off. Celebration were dropped when the day became a paid city employee holiday.

But at the urging of Councilman Richard LeBlanc last January, the parade and a formal city celebration has returned.

"I recognized that the absence of the celebration in 2000 caused some of our residents to question our commitment to Dr. King's contributions to society," he said.

"Westland is a diverse community and the King Day celebration is symbolic of our efforts to extend a hand to all citizens.

At budget hearings in June, the city council ponied up \$4,200 to revive the celebration on Monday, Jan. 15, the 72nd anniversary of the slain civil rights leader's birthday.

The half-mile march begins at 1:30 p.m. at Westland City Hall, travels along Central City Parkway, and arrives at the public library.

At 2 p.m., a program of spiritual signing and spoken tributes begin in the library.

The John Glenn Singers and the Peoples Community Missionary Baptist will sing.

Adams Middle School students will read passages about King's life and contributions.

New York City actor Gary Gibbs will recite King's "I Have A Dream" speech.

Refreshments follow.

If this sounds familiar, it's similar to the first program, which attracted a large crowd. However, the following year the crowd shrunk to a fourth of its original size, perhaps contributing to its temporary withdrawal.

Skate park meeting reset

Details of a proposed skate park in Westland will finally be made public at 6 p.m. Jan. 8, 2001 at a Westland City Council study session.

Bob Kosowski, Westland parks and recreation director, will announce the proposed location and explain the financial requirements to city council members, who must approve any agreement.

"It's in the development stage," said Hurley Coleman, director of Wayne County Parks. "We have a proposal, but have not reached an

agreement with Westland."

A county skate park in Westland is a possibility because Western Wayne County had been promised a skate park as part of the recent county parks millage renewal.

"Westland has offered us a site," said Coleman, who would not steal Kosowski's thunder by revealing the location.

With skate boarding and roller blading becoming more popular with youth, the demand for skate parks is growing.

So far, Kosowski has kept coun-

cil members in the dark about the proposal.

Skate parks in other area feature ramps for skateboarding stunts and tracks or rinks for roller bladers.

Originally the announcement had been scheduled for Dec. 11, but was canceled because of a snow storm.

If the Westland proposal is rejected, the county will seek another Western Wayne County location. Canton could be an alternative possibility, Coleman confirmed.

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Wayne-Romulus Optimist Club donates over 900 gifts to Cory Elementary Students

The Romulus - Wayne Optimist club donated over 900 gifts to Cory students in order to make a Merry Christmas for all. Mae Jackson a counselor at Romulus St. High, and club member, said that, "we really worked hard to provide 2 gifts for each student to pick out a gift for either their mother and father."

Members of the Romulus St. High School National Honor Society then helped the students wrap the gifts. Principal Phyllis Adkins, also a club member, noted that, "if it wouldn't be for this activity, a lot

of our students wouldn't be able to give their parents a gift." Adkins explained that students could pick out their own gifts from a wide assortment provided by the club.

Both club members Levira Noel and Barbara Underwood emphasized, "the wonderful feeling of giving" that they look forward to each year. Both indicated that, "all the hard work and organizing are certainly worth it especially when you can see the look of joy in the children's faces."



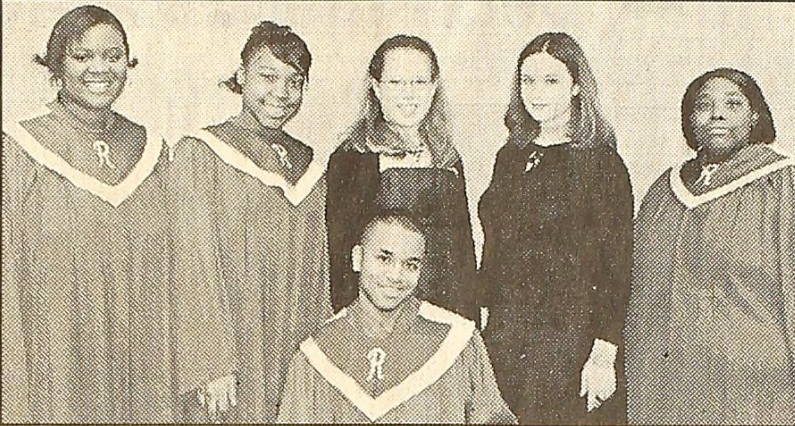
From left to right, Evelyn Koerber, Linda Madej, Sharon Howie, Tyra Payne, Kim Wells, Karen Kusibub, Joann Prater and Cathy Crawford are all transportation employees that celebrated Christmas at the Romulus Progressive Club.



From left to right are Levira Noel, Jackie Hamilton, Barbara Underwood, Alisha Hubbard and Kim Mingo. The two youngsters are Andrea Ross and Jessika Kennedy.



Hale Creek 4th & 6th graders combined for a recent choir performance. The Hale Creek band and choir are under the direction of Christine Raney.



These students were featured at the recent choir dance performance at Romulus Sr. High School. In the front is John Proctor, from left to right are Elizabeth Murphy, Melzina Thompson, Elizabeth Berry, Amy Bowman and Ileena Hill.

Decorating winners announced

The City of Belleville was pleased to announce the winners of this season's Home Decorating Contest winners.

The city was divided into four different areas: Victoria Commons, Harbour Pointe, "Old" Belleville, and the mobile homes.

The winners were: Sherman Broge, whose 459 Waterbury home has won for each of the contest's three years; Michael Trevorrow, whose 162 S. Edgemont home won for the second year in a row; John Morin's home at 77 Carmel; and Larry Hall, whose wife, Carol, decorated their home at 422 Breakwater Court. Mrs. Hall explained her husband, a longtime pilot for Northwest Airlines, broke his neck in an accident two years ago, leaving him paralyzed. She took over his former job of decorating their home, and said she was very proud of the results.

Each of the winners received a gift certificates from Detroit Edison, and a plaque that included a night-time photo of their homes, taken by *The Belleville Independent's* Bob Mytich. Other sponsors included Belleville Foodland, Flowers by Katherine Rose, Main Street Florist and Red Apple Restaurant, who each provided gifts or gift certificates.

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| Washtenaw | 1,319 | 13,209 | 10.0 | 1,308 | 12,227 | 10.7 |
| Wayne | 352 | 86,863 | 0.4 | 349 | 85,378 | 0.4 |
| Total | 6,465 | 191,006 | 3.4 | 6,380 | 186,693 | 3.4 |

Busy airport becomes a powerhouse

By IVAN HELFMAN
MCN Staff Writer

The new Midfield Terminal at Detroit Metro Airport will have its own electric-generation plant, a rare commodity among the nation's airports. Today workers installed massive engine generators that will supply most of the power.

A 366,000-pound crane lifted the last of three generators, each weighing 110 tons, into its place in the Midfield Terminal Energy Center. The engines were transported from Finland to Detroit, where they were placed on a 90-foot trailer for transport to the energy center, one engine per trip.

Michigan Consolidated Gas Company (MichCon) and DQE Energy Services of Pittsburgh, the two partners in Metro Energy LLC, are building and will operate the energy center under a 30-year contract with Wayne County to provide the heating, cooling and electricity for the two million square-foot Midfield Terminal. Northwest Airlines is managing the design and construction of the project. The energy center will have a heating capacity of 140 million BTUs, a cooling capacity of 9,200 tons and on-site electric generation of more than 17 megawatts. Put simply, it could power a small city or more than 3,500 homes with heating, cooling and electricity.

Metro Energy will supply the Midfield Terminal with a unique and reliable energy source. It is designed to take advantage of the rapidly changing energy market with its ability to either buy or produce electricity, depending on which represents the best value. The energy center will be fully functional when the new terminal opens in December 2001.

The new Midfield Terminal will feature 97 gates, 18 luggage carousels, an 11,500-space parking garage and more than 80 shops and restaurants in an open and spacious environment. Part of a public-private partnership between Wayne County and Northwest Airlines, the Midfield Terminal Project has approximately 12 months remaining in a five-year design and construction process. More than 1,400 workers are now involved in construction of the Terminal. When it opens, it will rank as one of the world's finest air facilities.

Wayne County's Detroit Metro Airport is the world's 6th busiest airport with over 1,500 daily take-offs and landings by 20 carriers, serving more than 130 domestic and international non-stop destinations. Metro Airport is in the midst of a \$2-billion expansion and modernization program which will make it one of the leading hub destination and departure facilities in North America. In 1999, more than 34 million passengers passed through Metro Airport and for the first half of 2000, passenger volume is up 6.4 percent. "This extraordinary energy center is another example of leading edge technology incorporated into the Midfield Terminal," said Wayne County Executive Edward H. McNamara.

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Oh deer! Bambi better look out for drivers

It's that time of year again. Cautious motorists' feet move a little more readily to the brake when they spot shadows alongside the road, as they try to avoid a run-in with Bambi. And with good reason. It's the season for car-deer crashes, which account for about 3.4 per cent of all crashes in the state.

There were 5,465 deer-vehicle crashes in Southeast Michigan last year, according to figures released by SEMCOG, the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments, based on crash data received from the Michigan Department of State Police.

Deer-vehicle crashes figures were nothing to be sneezed at in the tri-community area last year. Nineteen of Sumpter Twp.'s 120 car crashes involved deer, amounting to 15.8 per cent of all crashes. And 28 of Van Buren Twp.'s 851 crashes involved deer.

While the greatest number of overall crashes occurred between 3 and 6 p.m., the greatest number of deer crashes occurred between 6 and 9 p.m. The largest percentage of all crashes involving deer occurred between 3 and 6 a.m. (14.4 per cent), followed by 9 p.m. to midnight (8.1 per cent). As most would guess, rural

areas saw the highest ratio of deer crashes to total crashes. In some communities, nearly 40 per cent of the total crashes for the year involved deer. In Washtenaw County's Sylvan Twp., 36.7 per cent of the total 297 crashes involved deer, and Marion Twp. in Livingston County, reported 39.1 per cent of crashes on its roads involved deer.

SEMCOG is a member of the Michigan Deer Crash Coalition, working to decrease the vehicle-deer crashes. This year, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources estimates the deer herd to be 1.9 million. The coalition notes

that deer crashes occur most frequently during late October, November and December, usually on dark, unlighted roads during early morning or late evening commutes. Deer crashes are costly; the average insurance claim is about \$2,000. The coalition recommends the following to help you steer clear of deer:

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Make A Difference award winners from left to right are Lt. Jim Rafulski, Romulus Police Department; Deanna Strong Forrester, Director of 21st Century Community Learning Centers of Romulus; Karen Wilson, President of Central Distributors of Beer; and Romulus Police officers Damian Hull and Alan Mays.



Karen Wilson presents an award to Romulus High School Assistant Principal Doug Hoffman.



Wilson is flanked by award winners Gene Taylor of the Belleville Police Department and John Bota, owner of JB's Place.

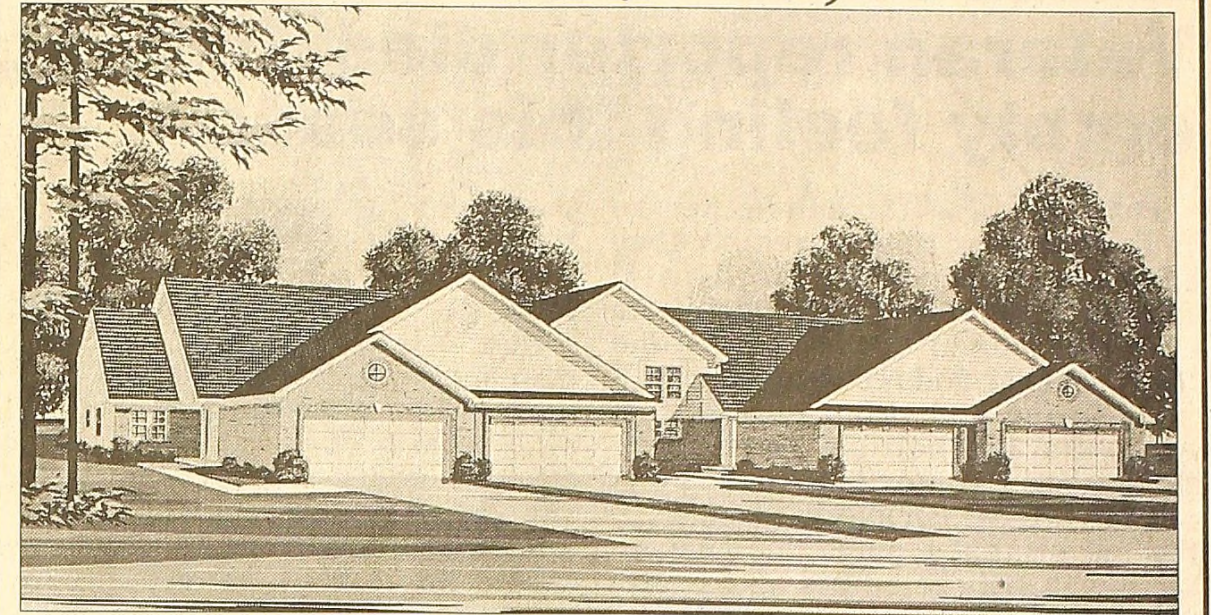
Distributor honors local citizens

On December 15, at Laurel Manor in Livonia, Central Distributors of Beer honored twenty local individuals with the We All Make A Difference Award to honor their efforts to combat alcohol abuse and underage drinking in Wayne County.

Promoting responsible drinking requires a team approach: one involving parents, educators, law enforcement authorities, the business community and many others. Central Distributors salutes the people of Wayne County for their efforts in personal responsibility in helping to keep alcohol abuse trends on a steep decline.

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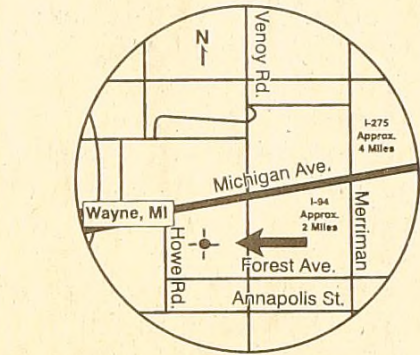
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Veteran reporter dies, leaving empty feeling this season

For many of us the holiday season is the happiest time of year. A time for celebration with family and friends. A time for reflecting on the true meaning of Christmas. A time for the giving and receiving of gifts.

My friend and colleague, Al Post embodied the holiday spirit more than most. His spirit, however, was not the typical commercialized holiday variety, but a much deeper conviction that directed his entire life, 365 days a year. Al was able to endure life's struggles, and believe me, he had more than his share, and always came away the better, more understanding, thoughtful and eager to take on the next challenge.

The next challenge, however, was most difficult. Last Friday, coworkers Sybille Marr and Lois Williams found Al Post face down, his face covered with snow, lying in pain, in the company parking lot. Al had been exposed to the year's coldest temperature for more than two hours. He had suffered an aneurysm while driving to work, somehow managing to get to the parking lot, out of his car, but stumbling before he could make it to the office.

On Tuesday morning, December 26, Al was pronounced dead. But even in death, Al, who was Michigan Community Newspaper's editor for the Romulus Roman, triumphed. He fought the bitter cold and an aneurysm that usually spells instantaneous death, to share Christmas with his wife, Pat, and their two children, Gene and Dixie.

For many of us at the newspaper, the news was first shocking, and then somewhat comforting. It was shocking from the aspect that Al appeared in his glory the day before the incident enjoying MCN's Christmas luncheon and employee gift exchange. As fate would have it, Al picked my name from the gift hat, and I could hear him whispering to other employees, "What do you get the boss

that essentially has everything?"

But Al, who sometimes shies away from parties and employee social gatherings, selected the perfect gift -- a leather case in which important phone numbers and business cards can be kept. He didn't know, but the case I was using was ripped and stained from years of overuse.

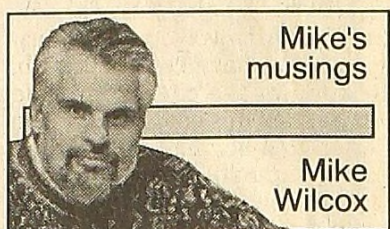
And I say comforting, because Al lived a frugal, Christian life. If there is a better life after death, I'm certain Al, before anyone else, will be there.

I will remember Al for many reasons. His terrific organizational skills kept the editorial department on course, day in and day out. Our intense political discussions -- Al was much more conservative in thinking than most -- made for interesting break room talk. His love for sports teams, including some from his old days as a managing editor for a New Jersey daily kept our sports department on their toes.

But most of all, I will remember Al for his deep convictions -- his unflinching belief that an honest days work was more important than amassing sick time; his credo that moral values and family were more important than money; and his religious roots that gave him comfort that God will take care of his family.

Michigan Community Newspapers and Community United Methodist Church have set up a fund in memory of Al Post. The Al Post Memorial Fund will be used to help out his wife, Pat and their two children Gene and Dixie. You may contribute by writing your checks to the Al Post Memorial Fund.

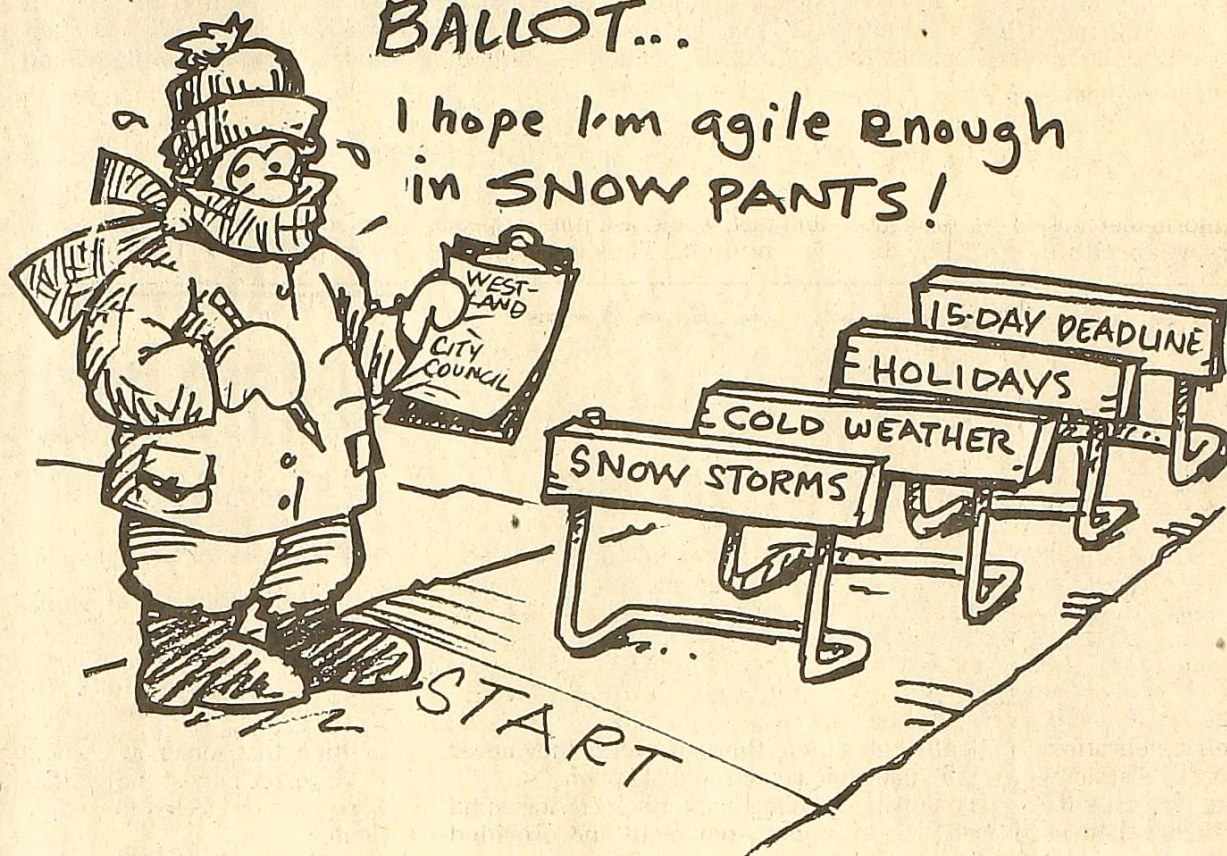
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Mike's musings

Mike Wilcox

JUST A COUPLE OF HURDLES TO JUMP... THEN MY PETITION IS READY TO PUT MY NAME ON THE BALLOT...



More election issues than tinsel

Funny how others view Westland politics.

A weekend Detroit News article ("Westland rebuilding after bitter recalls" by Sheri Hall) features a picture of five city council members decorating a Christmas tree at City Hall as if the city's main issue was arranging tinsel and ornaments.

As if 4,500 residents voted out two councilmen and ran out two others so the city could have a Christmas photo op.

With the tree decorating photo, the News papered over the scorched earth politics that pitted outsiders, such as Debra "The Voucher Lady" Hessler-Davis, against veteran politicians, such as Mayor Bob Thomas, and city officials, like Fire Chief Mark Neal.

Though The Voucher Lady prevailed by convincing the public and eventually the revamped city council that the city was overspending on cars, parties, and bottled water, her victory wasn't easy. Besides devoting hours to researching and questioning the city's spending, she at times had to risk arrest to speak at city council meetings. Finally, Thomas forbade Finance Director Tim McCurley to answer her questions at city council meetings.

Yet by fighting tooth and nail against the city's wasteful spending, she and the recall group have beaten the machine at the polls and may save the city thousands of dollars on city directors' cars and gas expenses.

Yet the ongoing power struggle is glossed over. In-



Ivan Helfman

stead we get cliches.

"[The Feb. 6 election is] a wonderful opportunity for our city to get some new, independent thinkers on the city council," the News quotes candidate Michael Kehrer as saying.

As if the recall was about "independent thinkers" -- whatever that means. Thinking is thinking. By definition, thinking is independent, otherwise it's not thinking, it's parroting.

"People are ready for calm and order to be restored in the community," Councilman James Godbout is quoted as saying.

Of course people want calm and order to be restored. Civility too. But at what price?

When recalled Councilman David Cox and former Council President Trav Griffin, who resigned in the face of the recall, argued against the recall, they called for order to be restored. But the voters obviously wanted more: an end to a perceived favoritism in city dealings, better city services, and a shift in spending from city employees' perks to fixing roads and drainage problems. Then order would be welcome.

While nobody likes disorder, disorder was a necessary condition for freedom. Contrary to what you may have learned in school, our political and economic free-

doms did not come to us fresh off the pages of books by the philosopher John Locke and the economist Adam Smith. No, they were won by the London mob during the mid 17 century.

In pamphlets and speeches, Puritan John Lilburne, the leader of the mob, called for a republic, the vote for all, equality before the law, abolition of rank and privileges, and religious toleration.

The first of his pamphlets resulted in Lilburne being whipped through London's streets, placed in the stocks for two hours, and jailed for two years. The event made him a national hero.

During that time, he wrote pamphlets outlining the freedoms and forms of open government that the Puritans and other dissenting Protestants planted in America.

In England, politicians picked up his proposed reforms. King toppling Puritan Oliver Cromwell's first speech to parliament called for Lilburne's release. Lilburne was released and re-arrested several times, but, as the mob's leader, left unharmed to lead the fight for freedom in the English speaking world.

At the same time, mobs formed in Paris. Unlike in England, the French monarch put more than 100 mob leaders to death, and eventually moved the court away from the mob. Order, not freedom, prevailed.

While the stakes in Westland aren't that high, they're higher than decorating a Christmas tree.

Feds subsidize poverty

Here's a novel concept: If you work full time and do a good job, you shouldn't be paid so poorly that you live in poverty.

Try to tell that to the federal government, though. An independent study released by ACORN, a grassroots advocate for the working poor, finds that corporations enjoying fat, tax-paid contracts from the feds are paying poverty wages to the people actually doing the contract work.

The same federal government that sets precise standards for, say, the tensile strength of screws that it buys, sets no standards for the fair pay of people working under its contracts. The study, conducted by the Economic Policy Institute, revealed that 11 percent of federal contract employees receive less than a "living



Jim Hightower

wage," which is to say their paychecks are too low to lift them and their families above the poverty level. In this period of economic prosperity and federal surpluses, in this period when Congress annually raises its own pay, in this period when federal contracts routinely cover the million-dollar paychecks of the corporate CEOs getting the contracts -- it's absurd that our tax dollars would be used to subsidize sub-poverty pay. Ironically, while the companies profit on the backs of

these workers, many of the workers themselves have to turn to food stamps, housing assistance, and other federal poverty programs just to make ends meet.

This means that we taxpayers are hit with a double whammy: first, we're subsidizing low-wage companies, then we have to provide services to assuage the poverty of their workers.

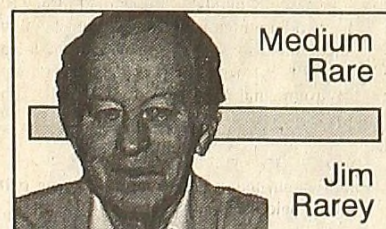
Better that the contractors themselves be required to pay fair wages from the start, which is why the Living Wage Responsibility Act has been introduced in Congress, sponsored by Representative Luis Guitierrez of Illinois. It requires big businesses that get federal contracts to pay their employees a wage no less than the federal poverty level.

Extremists threaten faith-based groups

President-elect George W. Bush has indicated he wants to have the government help faith-based organizations to better serve their communities. While he is undoubtedly sincere, there may be insurmountable obstacles in the way of achieving that goal.

The "freedom of religion" guaranteed by the First Amendment to the US Constitution was intended to be a one way street. Government was not to meddle in religion, but it did not bar religion's influence on government. We've strayed a long way from that original intent.

Citing several examples



Medium Rare

Jim Rarey

may be the best way to illustrate that point.

There are many volunteer organizations financed solely by contributions that are performing valuable services in their communities. Some are faith-based others are not.

One outstanding example of faith based is the Salvation Army. Its new facility in

Romulus, with a thrift store providing affordable clothing and other merchandise to the poor, along with the adult rehabilitation center for addicts, provides services to several surrounding communities. All without government "help."

Not so successful are a couple of instances where government has injected itself into the equation.

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA), with which this writer has a more than passing relationship, is based on the premise that a "higher power" (God) must be invoked to successfully conquer an addiction. The only qualification for membership is a sin-

cere desire to stop drinking or other addictions.

The self-supporting organization had the highest success rate of any group in curing addictions. Then it was discovered by the justice system. Courts started making attendance at AA meetings mandatory as an alternative to jail time.

Now AA meetings are a shadow of earlier self-help sessions populated largely by offenders interested only in getting their attendance slips signed. The government's "compassionate" treatment of addicted offenders is slowly destroying the effectiveness of the best voluntary organization for



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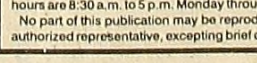
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Letters from our Readers

M I C H I G A N C O M M U N I T Y N E W S P A P E R S

Bravo Councilman Stottlemeyer for putting Fire Chief Neal in place

To the editor:

It took one year, and a new face to put Chief Mark Neal in his place at the latest council meeting. Councilman Stottlemeyer, himself a retired Westland firefighter gained hero status in my eyes, when he told Chief Neal he was a disgrace to the uniform he wore.

Once again Mark Neal made his way to the lectern, once again attacking people who were involved in the recall. It is his right to speak, but it is NOT his right to fabricate facts as he sees fit. It is also NOT his right to do so in the uniform that most of our firefighters wear with pride. They deserve a chief that they can look up to and respect, the people of this community deserve a chief that they can trust. Councilman Stottlemeyer spoke in reference to the ethics committee he will sit on, something that most of us wanted to see, and have long waited for: Are we finally seeing change in the city? Are ethics and accountability going to reign?

Chief Neal's attempt to paint Councilman Stottlemeyer as "dishonest" were truly comedic as anyone who has watched nearly a year of meetings, and seen each of his stories refuted with witness and fact, would ask him to speak for himself. Thus far Council-

man Stottlemeyer has been refreshing and independent, and I for one applaud him, and truly hope that he will continue to speak out against such tactics.

I think it is time for the council members to question Chief Neal's motives. It isn't the money spent by the city for the elections that is bothering him. If this council truly wants to understand his reasoning, they should attempt to pull documents as we have, and understand what he was protecting was not the council members, but his own interests. If my husband and I can obtain such information, then I am more than sure that council members that want to understand have ever so much more available to them. I truly hope that the new ethics committee will establish rules that will govern director involvement in businesses that have contracts with, do work for the city, or provide services for this community. The Federal Government has such ethics stipulation, so should the City of Westland.

Bravo Councilman Stottlemeyer. My husband and I certainly appreciate you and hope you continue to serve the interests of the people of this community!

Brenda Gracin

Red Cross seeks donations to help disaster victims

To The Editor:

The holiday season should be a time of joy and peace, a time for families and friends to draw close and create treasured memories. While most of us experience the holidays this way, some will find their celebrations tragically cut short by disaster. When that happens, we hope that someone will be there to help us through.

For nearly 120 years, the local chapters of the American Red Cross have been there: for families such as Angie H. of Detroit and the Lisa G. family of Armada.

Last Christmas arrived with unspeakable horror for Angie and her three children. On Christmas Eve, a fire roared through their apartment. Although Angie and her children escaped the blaze without injury, everything they owned was destroyed, including all the Christmas gifts for the children. The blaze spread to the upper flat leaving another family, with three children, homeless.

In Oakland County, the joy of the holiday season turned tragic for the Lisa G. family of Armada. On the day after Christmas, their apartment and all their precious belongings were destroyed, leaving the family of four devastated.

But a common thread of hope joined Angie's family and Lisa's family. Volunteers from the Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross responded immediately, helping them through events they never imagined could happen.

The Chapter helped Angie find a new apartment and provided the basic furnishings that we all take for granted: beds, living room furniture, a kitchen table, chairs and a chest of drawers. Meals and clothing were also provided.

Meanwhile, in Armada, the Red Cross helped Lisa's family with a temporary place to stay, food and clothing – and of course, compassion.

American Red Cross volunteers get up in the middle of the night, take leave from their jobs and say a hasty good-bye to their families – every time disaster strikes. The Red Cross responds to an average of 60,000 disasters each year – one disaster every 10 minutes. Last year, the local Southeastern Michigan Chapter

See **RED CROSS**, page A-10

Sign LeMatrie's and Kehrer's petitions

To the editor:

For one year, I worked on the recall effort of four Westland City Council members. I came to your homes, I talked with you in the parks, on the phone, and at council meetings. I promised you that if you signed the recall petition, that somehow I would work to get honest individuals appointed or elected to replace them.

When we gathered the last signature, I gave a sigh of relief, for nine months of walking and gathering signatures had taken its toll, and I was ready for a vacation! The vacation didn't last long. In order to fulfill my promise, I now find myself in the position of having to gather signatures again. We didn't realize that an office vacated by recall, had different laws governing than with a regular election. I, along with my wife, and other supporters of Dennis LeMatrie and Mike Kehrer, now have to garner two thousand signatures in order to place them in a secure position on the February 6th ballot to elect two city council members. Without the signatures, it will be a write in vote, and while I have much faith in these two candidates, it would be far easier to have them as recognized candidates by the city clerk's office.

If you would like to support these two good men, please contact either myself or my wife at 729-2805, or go directly to Mr. LeMatrie's business, US Print, Wayne, just north of Hunter.

I'm still waiting for that vacation, maybe you can help speed things up a little! Have a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Mario Gracin

STATE OF MICHIGAN BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT 734 AREA CODE RELIEF CASE NO. U-12743

The Michigan Public Service Commission will hold a public hearing on a proposal to implement an all-services distributed overlay for the 734 area code. You may obtain a copy of the proposal by contacting the Michigan Public Service Commission at the address below, or by calling 800.292.9555 or 517.241.6170.

DATE: January 9, 2001
TIME: 1:00 P.M.
LOCATION: City Council Chambers
100 North 5th Avenue
Ann Arbor, Michigan

PARTICIPATION: Any interested person may attend and participate. Persons with disabilities needing help to effectively participate should call the Commission's Executive Secretary at 517.241.6160 or 800.292.9555 a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a public hearing to provide all interested persons an opportunity to present statements, views, questions or arguments concerning the proposed 734 area code relief plan. The proposed plan will allow current customers to retain the 734 area code, but will require a different area code for all new services. Representatives of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NeuStar, Inc.) and the industry committee that developed the proposed relief plan, and representatives of the Michigan Public Service Commission will be available to explain the area code relief process and the recommended relief plan. To allow all interested persons an opportunity to speak, verbal comments should be limited to 5 minutes.

Written comments may also be submitted. All written comments must be provided to both the Michigan Public Service Commission and to NeuStar, Inc. Written comments should reference Case No. U-12743 and must be submitted to both agencies on or before 5:00 p.m. on January 10, 2001. Comments should be mailed to:

Mr. Frank Colaco and Ms. Dorothy Wideman
NeuStar, Inc. Executive Secretary
1120 Vermont Avenue N.W. Michigan Public Service
Suite 550 Commission
Washington, DC 20005 6545 Mercantile Way
Lansing, Michigan 48909

NeuStar, Inc. and the industry committee shall file a response with the Michigan Public Service Commission by 5:00 p.m. January 24, 2001, on any substantive comments to the relief plan that it received on or before January 10, 2001.

The Commission has jurisdiction pursuant to 1991 PA 179, as amended, MCL 484.2101 et seq.; MSA 22.1469(101) et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; MSA 3.560(101) et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, as amended, 1992 AACRS, R 460.17101 et seq.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BURN REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES DECEMBER 19, 2000

Supervisor King called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room. Present: King, Payne, Budd, Hart, Herman, Jahr and Rochowiak. Absent and excused: None. Others in attendance: Director of Development Kelley, Public Safety Director Perkins, Recreation and Facilities Director Ross, Deputy Public Safety Director Smolen, Parks and Lake Director Cipko, Water & Sewer Director Duha, Executive Assistant Ireland, Secretary Cline and an audience of eleven (11).

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Budd moved, Herman seconded to approve the agenda with the following amendments: Under "New Business" delete Item #6 "Consider adoption of Resolution 2000-39, Transfer of Cable Television Franchise and under Item #1 and 'c' "Consider approving the Fiscal 2000 CDBG [Community Development Block Grant] Budget. Carried.

PUBLIC HEARING: None.

MINUTES: Rochowiak moved, Hart seconded to approve the Work Study Session Minutes of December 4, 2000, as presented. Carried.

Herman moved, Jahr seconded to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of December 5, 2000, as presented. Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE: Employee service awards were given to Judy Fields and James Bushway for five years of service.

Supervisor King read a letter from Contract Welding expressing their appreciation to the Fire Department for using a building on their property for a training burn and make a \$500 donation to the Fire Department.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: Hart moved, Payne seconded to approve the Final 2000 General Fund Budget Amendments, noting items A through E inclusive, as outlined in Treasurer Budd's memo dated December 11, 2000. Carried.

Payne moved, Hart seconded to approve the Amendment to the 2001 Environmental Department, as presented. Carried.

Budd moved, Hart seconded to approve the Fiscal 2000 CDBG [Community Development Block Grant] Budget, as presented. Carried.

Payne moved, Hart seconded to approve the Final 2000 Water & Sewer Budget Amendments and approve the 2001 Proposed Water & Sewer Budget, as presented. Carried.

Herman moved, Rochowiak seconded to approve adoption of Resolution 2000-37, the Water & Sewer Department Schedule of Rates, effective January 1, 2001, as recommended by the Water & Sewer Commission on one amendment that the Return Check Fee Schedule be the same as the Treasurer's Office Return Check Fee Schedule. Carried.

Budd moved, Jahr seconded to approve adoption of Resolution 2000-38, the Treasurer's Office Fee Schedule. Carried.

Hart moved, Budd seconded to approve Step I, to remove James Arnold Fielder, deceased, as partner from the 1998 Class C licensed held with Angela Carol Fielder, LCC reference #81126. Carried.

Rochowiak moved, Hart seconded to approve Step II, to approve the transfer of ownership of a 1998 class C-SDM licensed business from Angela Carol Fielder to Raymond Verrot, LCC reference #81374. Carried.

Herman moved, Payne seconded to approve Step III, to transfer ownership of a 1998 Class C-SDM licensed business, located in escrow at 41111 E. Huron River Drive, from Raymond Verrot to B.P. Saloons, Inc., William G. Williams, Stockholder, and to grant a new Sunday Sales Permit and a new Dance/Entertainment Permit [permit specifically excludes "topless activity"] pending applicant obtaining a final certificate of occupancy from the Township, LCC reference #91945. Carried.

Jahr moved, Hart seconded to approve the Employment Agreement for the Confidential Secretary and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to execute the Agreement. Carried.

Budd moved, Herman seconded to approve the Employment Agreement for the Museum Director and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to execute the Agreement. Carried.

Jahr moved, Budd seconded to approve the reappointment of R. Lynne Hamilton, as alternate, and the appointment of Cheryl Sherman to the Board of Zoning Appeals with terms to expire December 1, 2003. Carried.

Budd moved, Hart seconded to approve the appointment of Tony Gibson to the Environmental Commission with a term to expire December 1, 2001. Carried.

Herman moved, Payne seconded to approve the reappointment of George Deverich to the Planning Commission with a term to expire October 1, 2001. Carried.

Payne moved, Herman seconded to approve the reappointment of Cindy Perala and Tom Kryza and the appointment of Anita Parsons to the Board of Review with terms to expire December 31, 2002. Carried.

Budd moved, Jahr seconded to approve Resolution 2000-40 the Annual Block Party and Road Closure Permit. Carried.

Rochowiak moved, Hart seconded to approve the Final Plat for the proposed Pine Forest Subdivision No. 2, a platted subdivision containing 52 residential lots located near the southeast corner of Elwell and Huron River Drives, and authorize the Clerk to sign the plat. Carried.

Payne moved, Budd seconded to approve the First Reading of Ordinance 12-19-00 to amend the Township Zoning Map [a part of Ordinance 6-2-92, as amended] from R-1B to M-T, and all land within 600' of Ecorse and Haggerty Roads from R-1B to M-1 parcels known as V125-83-008-99-0002-000, V125-83-008-99-0003-003, V125-83-008-99-0005-000, V125-83-008-99-0003-004, V125-83-008-99-0014-700, V125-83-008-99-0015-000, V125-83-99-0016-000 and V125-83-008-99-0017-000, excluding the portion of parcel V125-83-006-99-0005-000 because it is inconsistent with the Master Plan for the Detroit Edison Corridor; the subject parcel does not comply with the Lot Split Ordinance and would result in a single parcel with more than one zoning classification and would create non-building lot in the M-T (Industrial Transportation) district. Carried.

*(A synopsis of Ordinance 12-19-00 follows the minutes. A complete copy is available for review in the Clerk's Office during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.)

Payne moved, Jahr seconded to approve the request to seek Michigan Townships Association (MTA) support in the Van Buren Township v. Michigan State Tax Commission Suit, Case #99-940046-AW. Carried.

Budd moved, Hart seconded to approve the 2001 SMART Municipal Credit Contract and authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to execute the agreement. Carried.

VOUCHER LIST: Budd moved, Rochowiak seconded to approve the December 19, 2000 voucher list as presented. Carried.

REPORTS: Supervisor King ordered the November 2000, Budgetary Reports received and filed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Township Administrative offices will be closed on Monday, December 25, 2000 and Tuesday, December 26, 2000 for the Christmas Holiday and on Friday, December 29, 2000 and Monday, January 1, 2001 for the New Year Holiday.

On Thursday, December 21, 2000 at 9:30 a.m. an "Intergenerational Holiday Fest" will take place in the Senior Dining Room.

Trustee Herman announced that the Sled Hill at Van Buren Park is open.

Trustee Hart inquired about snow removal around fire hydrants. Director Duha stated that she and Chief Smolen are coordinating their efforts with Wayne County Road Commission and public education will be necessary.

Director Cipko gave residents winter safety tips pertaining to sledding, ice thickness on the lake and keeping warm in extremely cold temperatures.

Supervisor King stated that Goodfellows Baskets were distributed this past weekend and thanked Pam Fleming, Administrative Assistant to the Public Safety Director for her assistance. She also wished Treasurer Budd a Happy Birthday. In addition, she announced that a Public Informational Meeting regarding a proposed permit modification by the Environmental Quality Company will be held on January 11, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room.

AUDIENCE (Non-Agenda Items): A resident informed the Board that he had received notification that another Public Hearing pertaining to the deep injection well in Romulus will be held in January.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: None

ADJOURNMENT: Rochowiak moved, Herman seconded to adjourn at 9:25 p.m. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Joannie D. Payne, CMC
Township Clerk

Cindy C. King
Supervisor

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN NOTICE ORDINANCE NO. 6-2-92, AS AMENDED PROPOSED REZONING MAP NO. 12-19-00

First reading of ordinance. Second reading for adoption will be held at the 7:30 p.m. regular Board meeting of January 9, 2001 to be held in the Board Room, Van Buren Township Hall, 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren Township, Michigan, 48111.

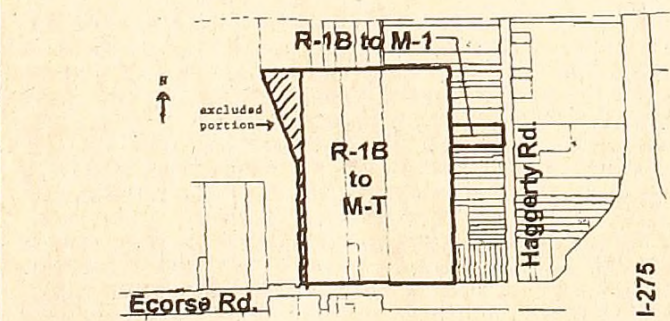
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING ORDINANCE, 6-2-92, BEING THE AMENDED ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN BY AMENDING THE ZONING MAP IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN ORDAINS:

Section 1. The Zoning Map in connection with the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Van Buren shall be amended so that the zoning of the following described property to with:

Map No. 12-19-00

To rezone the following from R-1B (Single Family Residential District) to M-T (Industrial Transportation District), and all land within 600 feet of Ecorse and Haggerty Roads from R-1B, (Single Family Residential District) to M-1 (Light Industrial District).



Legal Description of Property: PARCELS OF LAND IN SECTION 2, PARCEL NUMBERS: V 125-83-008-99-0002-000, V 125-83-008-99-0003-003, V 125-83-008-99-0003-004, V 125-83-008-99-0005-000, V 125-83-008-99-0014-700, V 125-83-008-99-0015-000, V 125-83-008-99-0016-000, V 125-83-008-99-0017-000, excluding a portion of land located in the Edison Corridor, parcel: V 125-83-006-99-0005-000.

Section 2. All Ordinances and parts of ordinance in conflict herewith are repealed hereby to the extent of such conflict.
Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption and publication.
Section 4. This Ordinance is hereby declared to have been adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Van Buren, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, at a Regular Meeting called and held on the ____ day of ____ 2000.

YEAS: King, Payne, Budd, Hart, Herman, Jahr and Rochowiak.
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAINED: None

This Ordinance shall be immediately recorded by the Township Clerk in the Township Ordinance Book as soon as it is adopted, which record shall be authenticated by the signatures of the Supervisor and Clerk and shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the Township within ten (10) days after its passage.

I hereby approve of the foregoing Ordinance.

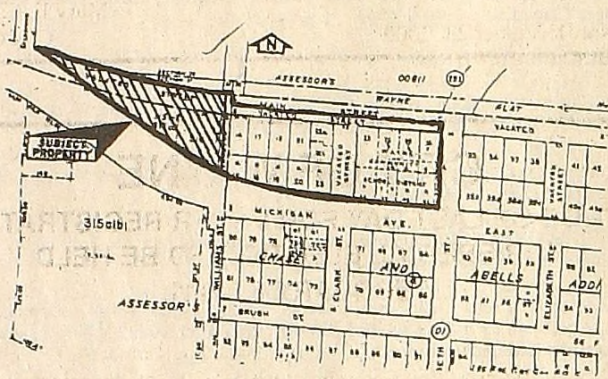
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CITY OF WAYNE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING



The City Council of Wayne, Michigan will hold a Public Hearing on January 16, 2001 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber of Wayne City Hall, 3355 South Wayne Road, to consider rezoning 35700 Michigan Avenue East (the portion west from vacated Williams' Street) from Multiple Family Residential Low-Rise (R-4) to Business Intensive (B-4)

Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

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CITY OF INKSTER Case No. 00-037632-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Thado Baggett and Arleen Baggett, Defendants. **Order Allowing Substituted Service**

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on December 6, 2000.

PRESENT: HONORABLE CYNTHIA D. STEPHENS, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.

This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 3330 Manning, legally described as: Lot 80, Carver Homes Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 75, Pages 17-19 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 am. on January 16, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

Cynthia D. Stephens, Alternate, Acting for Michael F. Sapala
Circuit Court Judge Circuit Court Judge

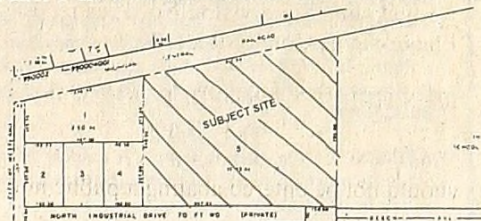
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF INKSTER, COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO ACT 207 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, FOR 1921 AS AMENDED, THAT A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD BY THE CITY OF INKSTER'S PLANNING COMMISSION ON MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 2001 AT 7:30 P.M. AT THE BOOKER T. DOZIER RECREATION COMPLEX, 2025 MIDDLEBELT ROAD, INKSTER, MICHIGAN, 48141. THE PURPOSE OF THE PUBLIC HEARING IS TO CONSIDER A REQUEST BY NEXTEL, INC. FOR APPROVAL TO COLOCATE ANTENNAS ONTO AN EXISTING TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER AS REQUIRED PER SECTION 155.067, AS AMENDED, OF THE CITY ORDINANCE NO. 277 (CITY ZONING CODE). THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IS LOCATED ON NORTH INDUSTRIAL DRIVE, EAST OF HENRY RUFF ROAD AND IS LEGALLY DESCRIBED AS THE FOLLOWING:

LOT 5 OF "INDUSTRIAL ACRES SUBDIVISION", A PART OF THE SE 1/4 OF SECTION 26, T2S, R9E, CITY OF INKSTER, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 98, PAGES 83 AND 84, WAYNE COUNTY RECORDS. (PROPERTY ID # 44-020-03-0006-306, COMMONLY IDENTIFIED AS 30010 N. INDUSTRIAL DRIVE)



PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE INVITED. PERSONS UNABLE TO ATTEND THE PUBLIC HEARING MAY SEND THEIR COMMENTS IN WRITING TO THE ATTENTION OF THE CITY OF INKSTER COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR, 2121 INKSTER ROAD, INKSTER, MICHIGAN, 48141. COMMENTS WILL BE RECEIVED THROUGH 12:00 NOON, JANUARY 8, 2001. PLEASE REFERENCE CASE NO. PC2K-17 IN ALL CORRESPONDENCE.

THE CITY OF INKSTER WILL PROVIDE NECESSARY REASONABLE AUXILIARY AIDS AND SERVICES, SUCH AS SIGNERS FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED AND AUDIO TAPES OF PRINTED MATERIALS BEING CONSIDERED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING, TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES UPON FIVE (5) BUSINESS DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE. INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES REQUIRING AUXILIARY AIDS OR SERVICES SHOULD CONTACT THE CITY OF INKSTER AT (313)563-3211.

Lawrence Chastang
City of Inkster
Planning Commission

Obituaries

M I C H I G A N C O M M U N I T Y N E W S P A P E R S

ASKEW, VERA
BOYD, ELIZABETH M.
DEVERICH, GEORGE
EDRHARDT, FRANK
FINLEY, HOWARD WESLEY
FREEMAN, LUCILLE
GARRIS, WILLIE
GUENTHER, STANLEY
GREEN, GEORGE
HOWARD, PRENTICE
KILANSKI, JOSEPH
KIRKPATRICK, CAROLYN
MCLEOD, DOREEN
MUSSEHL, MARK
POELLNITZ, WILLIE
POST, ALFRED
ROBERSON, RUBY
SANDERS, NORMAN
SIMS, JEANETTE

ASKEW, VERA, 93 of Detroit, passed away December 12. Beloved wife of the late Clarence Askew. Dear daughter of the late William and Marcella (Sinkosky) Curosky. Loving aunt of Vera Purdie of Belleville. Dear great aunt of Cheryl Wagner of Belleville and Craig Purdie of Romulus. Preceded in death by her husband and three sisters. She was a member of Divine Providence Catholic Church (Nine Mile & Telegraph). Private interment followed at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home.

BOYD, ELIZABETH M., 86 of Wayne, passed away December 14 at HCR Plymouth Court, Plymouth. Born on January 31 in Al-

bion, Michigan to John R. Boyd and E. Maud Boyd. Dear cousin of David Boyd, Wisconsin; William (Leora) Galbreath, Albion; Jack (Barb) Weston, Albion; and Lawrence Boyd, Florida. Preceded in death by his brother. She was a graduate of Washington Gardner High School. She received her Bachelors degree at Albion College. She taught high School at Wayne and retired from the school system. Funeral services were held December 19 at Albion Chapel (Tidd-Williams Funeral Chapels) with Rev. Charlotte Poetschner officiating. Burial followed at Riverside Cemetery.

DEVERICH, GEORGE, of Romulus, passed away December 19. Loving husband of Helen Deverich. Beloved father of Charles (Suzanne) Deverich of Westland, George (Roxanne) Deverich of Belleville, Mark (Janelle) Deverich of Virginia, Patrick Deverich of Ypsilanti, Kerry (William) Vaughn of New Boston, and Mary (Paul) Lewkowicz of Romulus. Dear grandfather of seventeen and great grandfather of three. Preceded in death by son Michael and brother Charles Lukr. Funeral services were held at Crane Funeral Home. Burial followed at Parkview memorial Cemetery, Livonia. Memorial contributions can be made in his name to Ball Road Tabernacle Church.

EBRHARDT, FRANK, 71 of Inkster, passed away November 4. He leaves to mourn his passing his children, Frank Jr., Marlon, LaDon, and Franklin; two sisters; fourteen grandchildren; ten great grand children; and a host of family and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with rev. Walter Davis

officiating.

FINLEY, HOWARD (ARK) WESLEY, (Soap Red) departed this life October 26. Born to the late John Wesley Finley and the late Ida Williams Finley, of Chamber County, Alabama. He was united in matrimony with the late Mary Fannie Allen. He leaves behind to cherish his memory son William (Pete), daughter-in-law Ernestine; five grandchildren Stanley (preceded in death), William, Rachel, Milton, and Tara; seven great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; four brothers Grover, Walter, Hercules, and Brewer; three sisters Essie Owens, Myrtis Hill, and Willie Allen, all preceded him in death. He was an employee of Ford Motor Company. Funeral services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Rev. Willie Davis officiating. Interment followed at Westlawn Cemetery (West), Ypsilanti, Michigan.

FREEMAN, LUCILLE, 56 passed away October 18. She leaves behind one son, Ronald; one daughter, Stephanie; three grandchildren, Devante, Jasmine, and Kenneth; and many family members and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Rev. Terry Hister officiating.

GARRIS, WILLIE "LIONEL", 38 of Inkster, passed away November 14. He leaves behind his parents Willie and Mary; step-mother Brenda; son Melik; three sisters; one brother; two grandmothers; and a host of family and friends. He loved gourmet cooking and was an apprentice Swimming Pool Finisher. Arrangements by Penn Funeral Home with

services held at Christ Temple Apostolic Church.

GREEN, GEORGE, 73 of Romulus, born in Natchez, Mississippi on October 21, 1927 passed away November 3. he leaves behind to cherish his memory six daughters, Georgetta, Renee, Sharon, Diane, Unetta, and Regina; two sons, Toby and Michael; one step-son, Ronnie; grandchildren; great grandchildren; family; and friends. Arrangements by Penn Funeral Home with services held at Saint City COGIC in Romulus.

GUENTHER, STANLEY H.B. of Howell (Formerly of Westland), passed away december 17 at home with his family. He was born January 3, 1931 to Herman and Josephine (Mijal) Guenther. He is survived by his beloved wife Patricia. They Celebrated their 49th Anniversary June 30, 2000. He was father to Jan (Michael) Fagan of Minden City, Michigan; Kim Guenther of Pauma Valley, California; and Suzy (Jack) Lewis of Howell, Michigan. He will be missed by his grandchildren Amanda, Jessica, and Becca Fagan; Joey Guenther; Casey and Chelsea Lewis. He is preceded in death by his brother Jack Guenther and granddaughters Kara Guenther and Lea Fagan. Cremation rites has taken place and a memorial services will be held January 3, 2001 at Cleary's Pub (Downtown Howell on Grand River Avenue at 1:00 p.m.). The family requests donations be sent to Livingston Community Hospice, 620 Byron Road, Howell, Michigan, 48843.

See **OBITUARIES**, page A-9

ABSTRACT

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL MEETING NO. 2000-37 DECEMBER 19, 2000

Regular meeting of the City Council held Tuesday, December 19, 2000 at 8:00 p.m. at Wayne City Hall. Members Present: Dickerson, Dobrowski, McEachern, Haidous, Powser, Lentine, Shackelford. Presentation of resolutions to Joe Hamilton, 2000 Para-Olympics participant, Wayne-Westland Soccer Patriots of the Great Lakes Youth Soccer League, and State Representative Thomas H. Kelly. Presentation of the 2000 Employee Suggestion Award Board (ESAB) Grand Award. Hold Public Hearing and First Reading for proposed amendments to the Codified Ordinances regarding junk dealers and junk yards, APPROVED: minutes of Regular Meeting of December 5, 2000; application for renewal of the license to operate one billiard table and six mechanical or electronic amusement devices at the Rookie Sports Cafe, 3632 Elizabeth, Street; acceptance of resignation of Rupert "Bud" Hillyard from the Board of Review, effective December 1, 2000; one year agreement for animal control services with The Michigan Humane Society; Purchase of a court recorder, on an emergency basis, from DSS, Inc. for the 29th District Court, renewal of the contract with B&B Snowplowing and Lawn Service, Inc. for Public Housing Department properties; approval of the following for new Fire Station Project: A "look-back" resolution, a notice of Intent to contract with the Building Authority for the proposed Fire Station, a notice of Intent to contract with the Building Authority for the Interim Fire Station/DPS Building; a resolution authorizing Gary Clark, Ramzi El-Gharib and Peter McInerney to sign permits with the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT); declaration of 35550 Michigan Avenue West a Hazard/Nuisance, on an emergency basis, and assess the charges to the owner of record; Change Order #1/Final with Metropolitan Asphalt, Professional Services Agreement with Roman Food Services for snacks/candy vending at the Community Center; purchase of a low row machine from Fitness & Things, Inc., for the Racquet and Exercise Club; Professional Services Agreement with Coquillard, Dundon, Peterson and Argenta (CDPA) for preparation of plans and specifications for the construction of the Interim Fire Hall/DPW Building, and for the construction of the new Fire Hall; First reading of proposed ordinance regarding Police Dogs. Called a Public Hearing for January 16, 2001 at 8:00 p. m. to discuss how the City should use its estimated allocation of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program funding for 2001-2002. Called a Public Hearing for January 16, 2001 at 8: 00 p. m., to consider rezoning 35700 Michigan Avenue East (the portion west from vacated Williams Street) from Multiple Family Residential Low-Rise (R-4) to Business Intensive (B-4). Received and filed Communications and Reports and Consent Callender. Adjourned at 9:21 p.m.

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Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

CITY OF WAYNE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne City Council will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, January 16, 2001 at 8:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers of City Hall 3355 South Wayne Road, to consider the proposed use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) 2001-2002 Program funds. The City's estimated allocation for 2001-2002 is \$159,000.00.

OBJECTIVES

The City's program objectives are the following:

- To provide the benefits of using CDBG funding directly to persons of low and moderate income and/or to areas where 42.73 percent of the residents are of low and moderate income.
- To eliminate slums, blight or blighting influence.
- To facilitate and/or support private (re)investment and development.
- To conserve and improve the housing stock.
- To improve park facilities.
- To maintain a high level of performance in the management of all CDBG projects.

PROPOSED PROJECTS

| Location | Program | Amount (2000-2001) |
|-----------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| city-wide | Senior Services | \$16,000. |
| city-wide | Neighborhood Revitalization | \$91,000. |
| | Administration | \$12,000. |
| | | TOTAL \$119,000. |

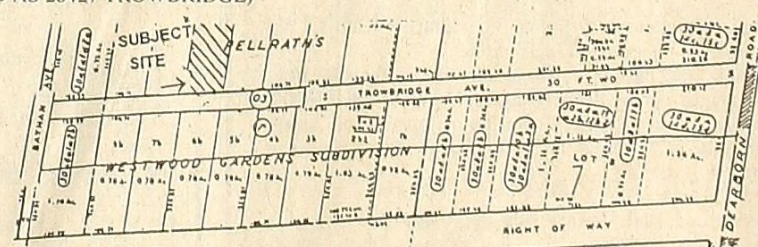
Interested persons are invited to attend and participate. Further information is available by contacting Peter J. McInerney, Community Development Director, 3355 South Wayne Road, Wayne, Michigan 48184 or by calling 722-2002.

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COMMENCING AT THE N.W. CORNER OF LOT 6, FELLRATH'S WESTWOOD GARDENS SUBDIVISION, A PART OF THE N.E. 1/4 OF SECTION 30, T2S, R10E, CITY OF INKSTER, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 68 OF PLATS, PAGE 99, WAYNE COUNTY RECORDS, THENCE S 00 degrees 09'20" W 412.44 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID LOT 6, THENCE S 89 degrees 50'40" E 24.61 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING: THENCE N 0009'20" E 30.00 FEET; THENCE S 89 degrees 50'40" E 22.00 FEET; THENCE S 00 degrees 09'20" W 30.00 FEET THENCE N 89 degrees 50'40" W 22.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING A PART OF SAID LOT 6, CONTAINING 660 SQ. FT. OR 0.015 ACRES MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO EASEMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS OF RECORD, IF ANY, TOGETHER WITH A 20 FOOT WIDE EASEMENT FOR INGRESSEGRESS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES THE CENTERLINE OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE N.W. CORNER OF LOT 6, FELLRATH'S WESTWOOD GARDENS SUBDIVISION, A PART OF THE N.E. 1/4 OF SECTION 30, T2S, R10E, CITY OF INKSTER, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 68 OF PLATS, PAGE 99, WAYNE COUNTY RECORDS, THENCE S 00 degrees 09'20" W 530.32 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID LOT 6 TO THE NORTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF TROWBRIDGE ROAD (50 FT. WIDE), THENCE N 79 degrees 03'40" E 94.81 FEET ALONG SAID NORTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING: THENCE N 04 degrees 19'03" W 110.51 FEET; THENCE N 89 degrees 50'40" W 37.84 FEET TO THE POINT OF ENDING; AND TOGETHER WITH A 6 FOOT WIDE EASEMENT FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES THE CENTERLINE OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE N.W. CORNER OF LOT 6, FELLRATH'S WESTWOOD GARDENS SUBDIVISION, A PART OF THE N.E. 1/4 OF SECTION 30, T2S, R10E, CITY OF INKSTER, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 68 OF PLATS, PAGE 99, WAYNE COUNTY RECORDS, THENCE S 00 degrees 09'20" W 328.21 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID LOT 6 TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING: THENCE S 68 degrees 01'17" E 29.74 FEET; THENCE S 09 degrees 09'20" W 43.02 FEET TO THE POINT OF ENDING. (PROPERTY ID# 44-020-03-0006-306, COMMONLY IDENTIFIED AS 26427 TROWBRIDGE)



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Lawrence Chastang
City of Inkster
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Obituaries

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HOWARD, PRENTICE, departed this life on October 20, 2000. Leaving to cherish his memory his loving daughters, Latricia M. Hall (Michael) of Silver Springs, Maryland; and Martha A. McKenzie (Leonard) of Inkster, Michigan; three grandchildren, Gary D. Howard of Inkster, Kim Bothongo (Louie) of Gabonrone, Botswana, and Leonard D. McKenzie of Inkster; eight great grandchildren Courtney, Cornelius, Latricia, Sarah, Lyssa, Schandida, Anthony and Edwa; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends. He was the first born son of Gus and Grace Howard, he was born in Murray, Kentucky on April 13, 1913. He was preceded in death by his parents Gus and Grace Howard, brothers, Eli, James, and Bud; his sisters Lavada Anderson and Rosa Mae Howard. He was married to Margaret Hensley in October 1938, who has also preceded him in death. He was employed at Illinois Central Railroad from 1938-1977, when he retired. He was the President of Puducuh Community Center for more than twenty years. On April 5, 1979 (the 187th year of the Commonwealth of Kentucky) the Governor of KY, Julian M. Carroll, commissioned him "A Kentucky Colonel". Funeral services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Pastor Joseph Stephens officiating. Interment followed in Ypsilanti.

KILANSKI, JOSEPH F., 82 of Belleville, passed away December 8. Dear father of Charles J. (Sharon) Kilanski of Canton, Michigan. Dear son of the late John S. and Katherine (Kelb) Kilanski. Brother of Edward Kilanski of Menominee, WI; Julius (Irene) Kilanski of Belleville; and Virginia (Edward) Robakiewicz of Romulus. Preceded in death by his wife Charlotte, daughter Camille, and sister Genevieve Dunbar. He served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII in the Pacific Theatre-Okinawa Invasion. He was employed at Ford Motor Company at the Rawsonville Plant. He was also a member of the Knights of Columbus and a Life Member of the V.F.W. 4434 where he served as a Past Commander. Funeral mass was held December 12 at St. Stephens Catholic Church, New Boston, MI with father Alexander J. Wytrwal as celebrant. Interment followed Michigan memorial Memorial Park, Flat Rock. Memorial Contributions can be made in his honor to St. Stephens Catholic Church. Arrangements made through David C. Brown Funeral Home.

KIRKPATRICK, CAROLYN PACE LUNDY, passed away November 10. Third child of the late Merlene (McGough) Pace and the late James Pace. She leaves to mourn her passing son Ricky (Deborah) Lundy of St. Louis, MO; daughter Angela (Charles) Hamilton; Son Claude Darus (Marsha) Lundy, Stepsons, Charles (LaVita) Kirkpatrick and Rodney (Dedra) Kirkpatrick; Mother-in-law Sophie Kirkpatrick; Brothers Maurice Ford, of Batticreek, Carl (Lazetta) Pace, Terrance (Mary) Pace; Sisters Shirley (William) Crowell and Darlene Carter; Sister-in-laws Janie Kirkpatrick Story and Elsie Lundy Johnson; Brother-in-laws Walter (Yvonne) Kirkpatrick and John (Connie) Kirkpatrick; 15 Grandchildren and 2 Great-Grandchildren; Life long friend Gladys Kirkland Jewell; and a host of other Aunts, Uncles, Nephews, Nieces, and many many friends. Funeral Arrangements were handled through Penn Funeral Home.

MCLEOD, DOREENE I., 74 of Belleville, passed away December 12. Beloved wife of Joseph McLeod. Dear mother of Joseph William (Valerie) McLeod of New Boston and Joan Allen (Veronica) McLeod of Belleville.

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MUSSEHL, MARK R., 46 of Belleville, passed away December 16. Dear son of the late Robert J. Mussehl and Gabrielle M. Brod Mussehl of Belleville. Preceded in death by his father Robert and brother Richard. Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Interment of cremains at Sloop Cemetery, Belleville. Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home.

POELLNITZ, WILLIE, 88 of Inkster, passed away November 1. Born July 23, 1912 in Octagon, Alabama. "Big Mama" leaves behind to mourn her loss 9 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren, 70 great great grandchildren, family and friends. Arrangements made by Penn Funeral Home with services at Greate Hayes Memorial Church.

POST, ALFRED
Age 63, of Taylor, passed away suddenly on December 26, 2000. Beloved husband of Patricia. Dear father of Gene A. (Courtney) Post and Dixie M. Post. Mr. Post is also survived by 2 grandchildren, 2 brothers, Richard of Tomsville, NJ and Harry of Anchorage, AK, and 2 sisters, Emma Wilkins of Wheeling, W. VA. and Charlotte Tensen of Columbia, NJ. Mr. Post was preceeded in death by 2 brothers, Jerry and Robert. Services are being held at Crane Funeral Home on Goddard Rd. in Romulus, MI on Thursday, December 28, 2000 at 5:30pm.

ROBERSON, RUBY, 69 of Inkster, passed away November 11. She leaves behind to cherish her memory daughters, Felicia, Tracie, Evelyn, Tamiko; son Shannon; three sisters; two brothers; eight grandchildren; and a host of family and friends. Services were held at Penn Funeral Home with rev. Hardy Johnson officiating.

SANDERS JR., NORMAN, 57 of Belleville, passed away December 18. Beloved longtime companion of Joyce Johnson. Dear father of Norman (Connie) Sanders III of Kansas and Kelly (Dennis) Skytook of Oklahoma. Dear son of the late Norman and Burl (Holmes) Sanders Sr. Dear brother of Lenore Hardway of Ypsilanti, Rita Hedgger of Westland, Ruby (Bill) Clark of Flat Rock and Hazel Sanders of Kansas. Loving grandfather of five and uncle of several nieces and nephews. Special Buddy of Robert Martin and his family of Belleville. Dear friend of Sally Shaerer of Belleville, William (Velma) Ellsworth of Westland, Rick (Barbara) Erzenaur of Canton, and Tim (Carol) Simmons of Canton. He Cemetery, Ypsilanti.

SIMS, JEANETTE E., of Romulus, passed away December 15. Loving wife of Leroy G.

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will be greatly missed by his dog Tammy Faye. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Pastor Robert J. White officiating. Interment followed at Alban Cemetery, Ypsilanti.

SIMS, JEANETTE E., of Romulus, passed away December 15. Loving wife of Leroy G. Sims. Beloved mother of Norman L. (Denise)

Sims, Kenneth A. (Cheryl) Sims, Steven W. Sims, and Robert K. (Joanne) Sims. Dear grandmother of thirteen. Funeral services were held at Community United Methodist Church. Burial followed at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home. Memorial contributions can be made in her name to Vision 2000 Building Fund.

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Advertisement for Bids

GODDARD ROAD WATER MAI REPLACEMENT
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CITY OF ROMULUS

Sealed Bids will be received by City of Romulus at the Clerk's Office, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174, until 10:00 a.m., Local Time, Thursday, February 8, 2001 at which time and place said Bids will be opened and publicly read aloud for the following approximate quantities of work:

2,725 linear feet of 16-inch ductile iron water main, 15 linear feet of 12-inch ductile iron water main, and 2,647 linear feet of 8-inch ductile iron water main.

Contract Documents are an file with Ms. Linda Choate, Clerk

Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations; City of Romulus, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174; F.W. Dodge, Raleigh Officentre 25330 Telegraph Road, Suite 350, Southfield, Michigan, 48034; Construction Association of Michigan, 1625 South Woodward, P.O. Box 3204, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48302; Daily Construction Reports, Plan Room, 40000 Grand River Avenue, Suite 404, Novi, Michigan 48375; and WadeTrim/Associates, Inc., 25251 Northline Road, Taylor, Michigan 48180.

Copies thereof for bidding purposes may be obtained at the office of Wade-Trim/Associates, Inc., 25251 Northline Road, Taylor, Michigan 48180, starting an Tuesday, January 2, 2001, upon making a payment of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars if picked up or Thirty-Five (\$35.00) Dollars if mailed, none of which will be refunded

Each Proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, money order, or bid bond, in the amount of at least five (5) percent of the amount bid, drawn payable to City of Romulus as security for the proper execution of the Contract,

The City of Romulus reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bids should it consider same to be in its best interest.

Bids may not be withdrawn for the period of 60 days after date of receiving bids.

Ms. Linda Choate, Clerk
City of Romulus
11111 Wayne Road
Romulus, MI 48174

Wade-Trim/Associates, Inc.
25251 Northline Road
Taylor, MI 48180

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CITY OF INKSTER Case No. 00-037635-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiffs, vs. Mark T. Cook and Transamerica Financial Services, Inc., also known as HFTA First Financial Corporation a California Corporation, Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on December 6, 2000.

PRESENT: HONORABLE CYNTHIA D. STEPHENS, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.

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CITY OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE OF NUISANCE & HAZARD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a nuisance and safety hazard existed, consisting of two unsecured windows, declared by the Council to be dangerous to the welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Wayne, on the following property commonly known as 35550 Michigan Avenue West, Tax ID No. 006-09-0015-002.

The owner of the building is out of the country and was unable to be contacted. By order of the City Manager. the building was secured on an emergency basis. The costs to abate the hazard will be assessed to the owner of record.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WAYNE

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Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

CITY OF WAYNE NOTICE OF LAST DAY FOR VOTER REGISTRATION FOR SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 6, 2001

A Special Election will be held on Tuesday, February 6, 2001, In the City of Wayne. Persons who wish to vote in this election must be registered to vote by January 8, 2001 and possess the following qualifications:

- * Citizen of the United States
- * Michigan resident for 30 days prior to February 6
- * Eighteen (18) years of age on or before February 6

Voter registration application can also be made at an office of the following agencies:

Secretary of State
Department of Social Services
Department of Mental Health
Department of Public Health
Michigan Rehabilitation Services

City of Wayne electors who have moved to a new address within Wayne should notify the City Clerk's Office.

PROPOSAL A

Language: For Charter Amendment to Elect the Mayor every two (2) years, beginning in the year 2001.

Shall Chapter six (6) of the City Charter be amended to elect the Mayor every two (2) years?

Shall three (3) Council members be elected every four (4) years beginning in the year 2001?

This Amendment shall be written in the Wayne City Charter as the Netter's Amendment.

Explanation

The Citizens of Wayne should have the same constitutional rights and privilege to elect and nominate their Mayor as does most cities in the United States. No sitting member of Council shall have to resign.

Mary E. Carney
City Clerk

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CITY OF INKSTER Case No. 00-037634-CH

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Evelyn M. Mitchell and Michael Craig, Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on December 6, 2000.

PRESENT: HONORABLE CYNTHIA D. STEPHENS, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.

This matter having come before the court for the Petition For Substituted Service and the court being fully advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that service of process be made upon the aforesaid Defendants in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give said Defendants actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that substituted service be made in accordance with MCR 2.105 and 2.106 to serve aforesaid Defendants by posting at their last known address, by First Class Mail and by publication.

The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 26094 Lehigh, legally described as: Lots 384 and 385, including 1/2 of the vacated alley adjacent thereto, Rougelvania Subdivision No. 1, as recorded in Liber 54, Page 81 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 a.m. on January 16, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

Cynthia D. Stephens, Alternate, Acting for Michael F. Sapala
Circuit Court Judge

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Teola P. Hunter, Clerk
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State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, City of Inkster, Plaintiff, vs. Steve S. Johnson and Brenda Johnson, Defendants. Order Allowing Substituted Service

At a session of said court held in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan, on December 6, 2000.

PRESENT: HONORABLE MICHAEL F. SAPALA, CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.

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The Plaintiff has brought this action against Defendants and all other persons who may claim an interest in the following property in order to seek an abatement of a nuisance by demolition of the property located at 26741 Princeton, legally described as: Lot 766, including 1/2 of the vacated alley adjacent thereto, Westwood Subdivision of Van Alstine Farm, as recorded in Liber 40, Pages 29 and 30 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants shall appear before the Honorable Michael F. Sapala in room 701 of the Wayne Circuit Court at 9:00 am. on January 16, 2001 to Show Cause why an order should not be entered abating a public nuisance by demolition.

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More Letters from Our Readers

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Red Cross

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responded to nearly 1,300 local disasters in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

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During the holidays, the disaster that summons the Red Cross is almost always a fire. During December, January, and February, the majority of the disasters that the Red Cross responds to are home fires.

The Red Cross is not only active on disasters, but also in many

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Last March, a fourth-grader at Crescentwood Elementary School was having lunch when she began to choke on a piece of hamburger. Trudy Reager, a noon-aide cafeteria worker at the school, immediately rushed to the child and began to perform abdominal thrusts to dislodge the

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Through prevention, response, and in many other ways, Red Cross chapters work to improve the quality of life in their local communities. But they need our support. The Red Cross is not a

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Sincerely,
Mike Maslyn
Inerim CEO, Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross

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Phase two started

To the Editor:

The United States of America is under siege. The fact that the liberal Democratic party is really the Socialist Party of the United States has never been more evident. This premise is primarily due to the fact that the total liberal platform follows the cardinal principles of Karl Marx and the implementation genius of Vladimir Lenin. This scenario in Florida has been programmed and we see the Socialists, for the first time, really taking a firm stance in order to test the system and the safeguards of our Constitutional Republic. To those who doubt, it is about time that a better acquaintanceship with Marx be made as well as reading and listening to the Liberal Political Platform. The concepts of divide and conquer as well as formenting class envy are two of the many common denominators.

For the last 8 years Bill Clinton with willing student Al Gore has quietly circumvented our Constitution at every turn and the rule of law has been diluted incrementally to the point where there is no longer the outrage of a once moral society. To further undergird this concern it is well to keep in mind that never before in our history has a party with one hundred percent loyalty ever supported an individual with the credentials of pathological liar and maggot morality. Thus he got away with it and the end result is that these present rascals are doing the same thing by, in effect, saying, this country is now ready for our next step. Phase II in the Grand Plan is now underway.

One of our real problems is that the last few generations have not been exposed to American history. Realistically a person will find it difficult to know where he is going until he knows where he has been. With lack of knowledge regarding our history, our free enterprise system and continued commitment to freedom and liberty, people have been much easier led. And after all, that's the primary goal towards the inception and culmination of any totalitarian society.

Yesterday, my parents came to

"Yesterday, my parents came to this country because it was the land of opportunity. Today they're coming here because it is the land of entitlements."

this country because it was the land of opportunity. Today they're coming here because it is the land of entitlements. The more whiner and dependents you can wean and breed the more powerful you become. History has proven that and our present Socialists are banking on it.

With all the chicanery in vogue at this moment you will not see or hear much about it in the communications industry which we jokingly call the news media. Thank goodness for the Internet, the small local papers and the conservative radio personalities or a coup d'etat would have been consummated a few years ago.

There are two great oddities in motion in this present era of our history. The first is that is that there are so many people who actually believe that when they vote a Democrat ticket they are actually voting a democrat ticket. Basically, they are not. Secondly, it is a psychological phenomenon of our time that the very industry, the fourth estate, is not cognizant of the fact that historically, when the Socialists gain full power it is they against whom the Socialist forces will move first.

In a recent article by Tom Sowell it was pointed out that when Lenin saw all the follower he had in the western democracies he referred to them as "useful idiots."

We can only hope that the apathetic will cease to be pathetic and will wake up to the real danger which we are all facing at this given moment in time. We are under siege.

Sincerely,
George M. Haddad

CITY OF WAYNE NOTICE OF RENEWAL PERIOD FOR 2000 DOG LICENSES

The 2001 dog tags are now available for sale in the City Clerk's Office at City Hall. All dogs six months of age or older must be licensed (certificate of rabies vaccination required) and wear a collar with current tag attached. Tags obtained by February 28, 2001, will be at a lesser fee.

Fees during annual licensing period ending February 28, 2001

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| Regular license | \$10.00* |
| License for spayed or neutered dogs | \$5.00* |
| Replacement or transfer license | \$1.00 |

Fees from March 1 thru December 28, 2001

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| Regular license | \$12.00 |
| License for spayed or neutered dogs | \$6.00 |
| Replacement or transfer license | \$1.00 |

*Dogs under six months of age or owned for less than 10 days qualify for these rates at any time of the year.

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PUBLIC NOTICE WAYNE COUNTY RESA

Notice is hereby given that Wayne County RESA will receive sealed proposals for Virtual/Continuing Teacher Recruitment Process. Respondents should be specialized in developing and building custom web sites and telephone based recruiting systems.

RFP documents can be obtained from the Wayne County RESA, Office of Purchasing, 33500 Van Born Road, Wayne, MI, phone (734) 334-1431 starting January 2, 2001.

A pre-proposal meeting will be held on Thursday, January 4, 2001 at 1:00 PM in the Employee Services Conference Room.

Request for Proposals must be received by January 19, 2001 at 3:00 PM at Wayne County RESA, Purchasing Department, 33500 Van Born Rd., Wayne, MI. Proposals will be opened publicly at 3:00 PM.

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Shovel! Ford Rd., Michigan Ave. residents

Ford Road and Michigan Avenue residents lookout.

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) wants to remind residents living along state highways to keep the shoulders and roadways clear of snow while shoveling or plowing their driveways.

The Michigan Motor Vehicle Code requires residents living along state roadways to do so.

"This is just a matter of safety for other motorists traveling along

these routes. A resident who does not keep this area clear may be liable for any accidents that may occur as a result of piles of snow on the shoulder or roadway," said Southwest Region Engineer Bobbi Welke.

Keeping this area free of snow also is to the advantage of the resident. Snow piled up at the end of the driveway is usually plowed right back into the driveway by the snowplows.

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Your questions could be answered in the next issue of this paper.

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The disease is caused by specific bacteria which lives in the pockets between the teeth and gums. This bacteria can enter the blood stream and travel to major organs, possibly beginning new infections. The heart is one of the organs most susceptible to this type of infection.

One theory of how heart disease can be exacerbated by gum disease is that the bacteria from the mouth travels to the heart and attaches to the fatty plaques in the coronary arteries. This process contributes to clot formation. These clots obstruct blood flow, and lead to problems like angina and heart attacks.



There are other diseases to which peridontal disease has been linked, notably respiratory disease, diabetes, osteoporosis, premature and underweight births.

Diseases of the mouth are not isolated conditions, but are related to many other systemic problems. That is why it is very important to have regular checkups and receive the proper treatment for your gums and teeth.

Matthew Schaub, DDS
Newburgh Heights Dental Group

If you have any dental questions for Dr. Schaub, send them to the above address

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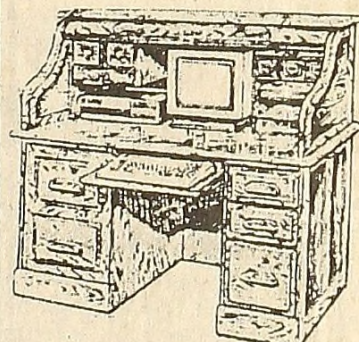
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CITY OF INKSTER ABSTRACT SPECIAL AND REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

THE City Council met at 6:04 p.m. in the Council Chambers on Friday, December 1st and at 7:33 p.m., on Monday, December 4, 2000. PRESENT: Councilpersons Harris-Foster, E. Hendricks (12/4/00), Coleman-Richardson, M. Hendricks, James and Mayor Hampton. ABSENT: Councilwoman Janet Bostedor (both meetings).

DEC. 1st: The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the June 30, 2000 Audit by Plante & Moran, City Auditors.

DEC. 4th: CONSENT Calendar items approved: Minutes for 11/14 (Special) and 11/20 (Regular) meetings. APPROVED payment of \$2,276.85 to Charfoos & Christensen, P.C. TABLED solicitation of sealed bids for legal counsel and engineering services for the City of Inkster. AUTHORIZED solicitation of sealed bids for 28 P.C. Workstations for Police Department - COPS MORE GRANT; 6 P.C. Workstations for Department of Public Service and 4 P.C. Workstations for Code Enforcement Division; 3 Computer P.C. Network Servers for D.P.S., Police Department and Recreation Complex, routes and hubs; 8 P.C. Workstations, 4 Notebook Computers and 1 Network Computer Server; 1 Diesel Generator for City Hall. AUTHORIZED grant application for demolition of State owned tax reverted property and solicitation of bids for demolition of identified properties; Franchise Agreement between City of Inkster and MCIMetro Access Transmission Services; grant application for Transportation Enhancement Activities 80/20 Match Program. DENIED Offers to Purchase City-owned properties from Gerald D. & Tammi Lincoln, Harlan & Delores Thomas and Joyce Gilkey. APPROVED Offers to Purchase City-owned property (vacant lots): \$500.00 from Penn & Associates; \$220.00 from Clifford R. & Mary J. Johnson; \$1,120.00 from Wesley E. Bryant. MEETINGS adjourned at 6:45 p.m., and 8:35 p.m., respectively. (Full text available upon request).

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Kimberly Turner
Inkster City Clerk

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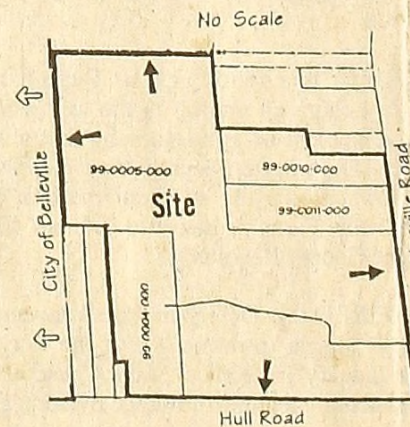
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Charter Township of Van Buren Planning Commission will hold a public hearing in the Board of Trustees Room, 46425 Tyler Road, Charter Township of Van Buren, County of Wayne, Michigan, 48111 on Wednesday, January 10, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. to consider the following:

A request to amend the Zoning Ordinance 6/2/92, as amended, to amend the zoning map by rezoning parcels V-125-83-108-99-0004-000, V-125-83-108-99-0005-000, V 125-83-108-99-0010-000, V 125-83-108-99-0011-000 from AG, (Agricultural Estate) to R-1A (Single Family Residential). The property is located on the northwest corner of Martinsville and Hull Roads.



Written comments will be accepted at do Department of Developmental Services until 5:00 p.m. on the hearing date.

In the spirit of compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals with a disability should feel free to contact the Department of Developmental Services, at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance of the meeting, if requesting accommodations.

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SPORTS

Unfinished business Glenn seeks hoops vindication in the new year

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

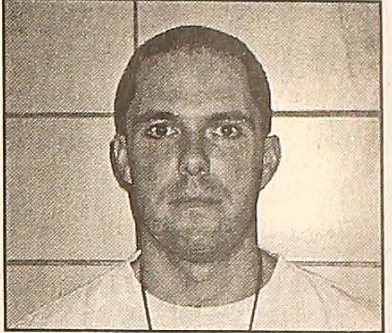
They're 0-3 for the 2000 phase of the high school season. They're struggling. But, don't shed any tears for coach Joel Lloyd and the Rockets. They will be back. "We're obviously struggling," said Lloyd, who is in his first year as head coach at Glenn. "We will be all-right. Believe me we will." Glenn lost back-to-back games

to the Mega-Red Conference front-runners last week. On the home court, Glenn fell 44-38 to Ypsilanti, then, on the road, the Rockets dropped a 50-40 decision to Willow Run. Glenn had a 34-27 lead heading into the fourth quarter against Ypsilanti when the Rockets suddenly hit a dry spell that provided Ypsi with the spark that ignited a 17-4 run and a 44-38 victory. Glenn didn't score until 1:02 when Darnell Doris connected on a short

jumper. Glenn led 12-8 after one and stayed in front, 23-14, at the half thanks to Brent Bogle's seven points in the second period. But Ypsi's senior Jason Bird and his cousin, Cedrick Bird, suddenly came alive. Jason, who finished with a game high 17 points, and Cedrick, who had 14, turned the tide for the Braves. Against Willow Run, the Rockets again had an early 16-12 lead

but couldn't hang on as the Flyers outscored their visitors 21-3 in the second period to take a 43-19 half-time lead. Both teams had problems in the second half. Each team scored nine points in the third period and the Rockets cut the Willow Run lead by four with a 12-8 finish. Glenn's Michael Franks had an excellent game as he drilled 18 points. All of his points came on three-pointers.

Michael Goree was the only other Glenn player to score in double figures. He had 10. The Flyers also had a lopsided edge at the free throw line where they cashed in on 12 of 25 charities. In comparison, Glenn went to the line twice and scored two of three free throws. Glenn will make up its snowed out game with Adrian on Jan. 2. Adrian is the host.



Joel Lloyd

Tigers trounce Inkster

After losing their season opener, Belleville is looking like its old self as coach Rod Fisher's Tigers have strung together three big victories.

In their latest triumph, the Tigers turned to their defense to break open a close game against Inkster.

Inkster led on its home court 10-9 after the first period, but the Tigers outscored their hosts 20-10 in the second period to go up 29-20 at the half.

Holding Inkster to 10 points in the third quarter and to two points in the final frame, Belleville turned the 45-30 third quarter lead to a 63-32 victory over the Vikings in a Mega Conference cross over game.

Senior Kris Miller and Jason Szmansky led the Tigers in that second half surge.

Coach Fisher was pleased with the victory, but he also expressed some concerns about the team.

"We're starting to take small strides in the right direction," said Fisher, who also pointed out that his ball club still has a long way to go. "There is always room for improvement. We definitely are heading in the right direction."

Miller tossed in a game high 17 points, while Szmansky scored 10 in the Tiger rout.

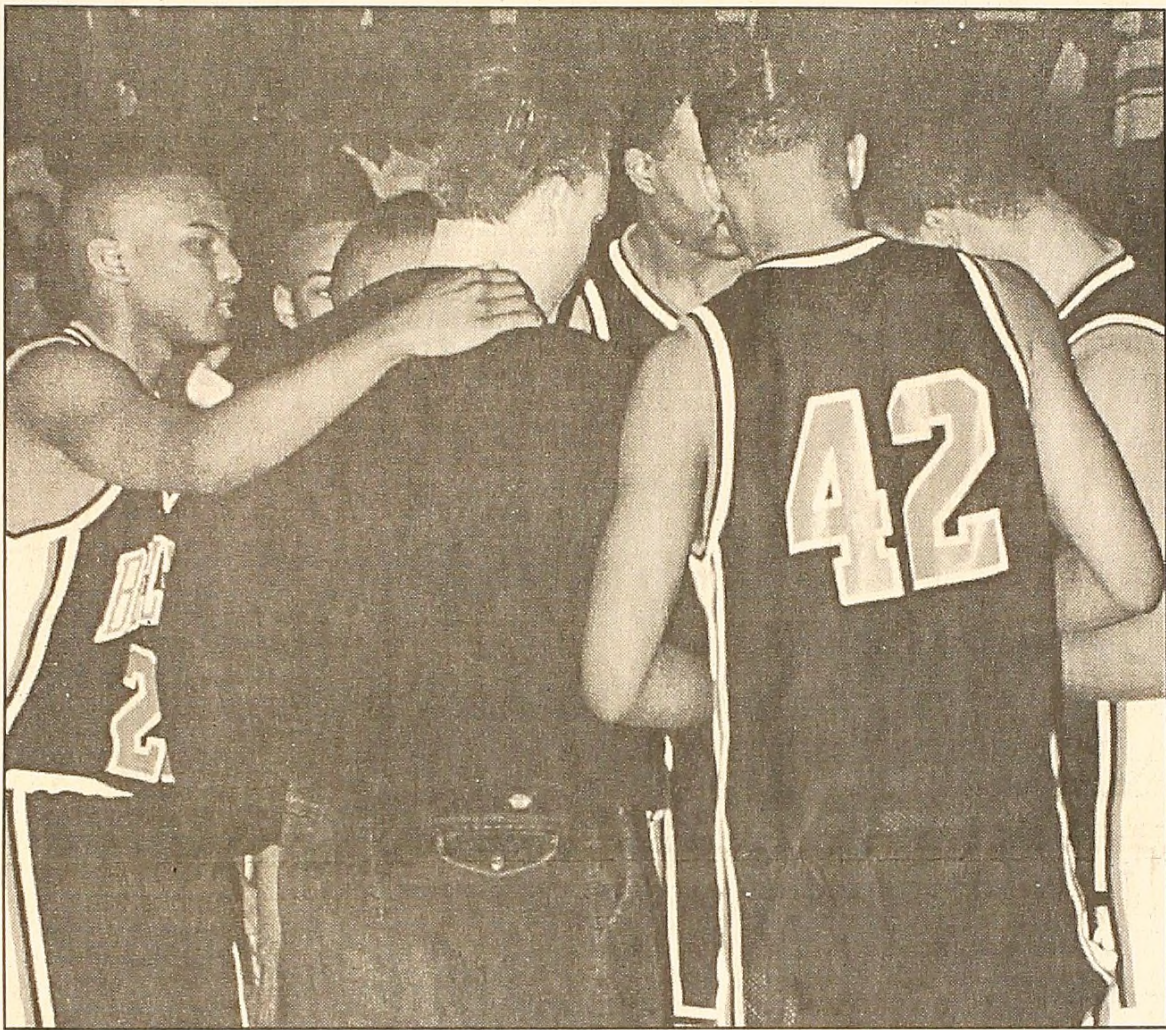
The Vikings failed to place a player in the double-digit scoring column. Mike Hunter's seven points topped the Viking scorers. Inkster also made nine of 14 opportunities from the free throw line.

"We have a very young team," said first-year Inkster coach Steve Brooks, "and we're making mistakes because of our lack of experience. But we will be fine once we get a couple of more games under our belt."

Inkster has a Jan. 2 date to play one of the top-ranked teams in the state. On that date, Flint Beecher comes to town.

In the meantime, Belleville will return to the pine after the New Year on Jan. 3 when they travel to South Lyon for a non-conference game.

Inkster, which dropped from the tough Mega-Red Division to the White Division this season, won its opener against Academy of Detroit-Inkster, but has now dropped two straight.



'Like old times'

After dropping their season's opener to Walled Lake Central, Belleville coach Rod Fisher (above center) has the Tigers running and shooting again as in the old times. Belleville has put together a string of three victories, and ended the 2000 phase of the season with an impressive 3-1 record. They'll return to the pine on Jan. 3 when they clash with South Lyon, in a tuneup for the tough Mega-Red campaign.

Romulus ends its losing streak, stops Robichaud

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

With senior forward David Jarrett scoring a game high 17 points, Romulus turned back Dearborn Heights Robichaud 59-50 in a Mega Conference crossover game Thursday night.

The victory snapped Romulus' three-game losing streak.

"It was a very close game for three quarters," said Romulus coach Guy DelGiudice. "That fourth quarter was really the difference."

Robichaud held a one point edge, 45-44, at the start of the third period when suddenly the Bulldogs hit a dry spell. Romulus sophomore Ron Buckley used the occasion to score six of his eight points and staked the Eagles to

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the 15-5 finale.

"We also switched our defense late in the game, and I felt that helped turn the game," DelGiudice offered.

Robichaud coach Monte Denard got an excellent game from Quincy Isbell and Tron Thomason. Both scored in double figures.

Isbell, a fast-moving, ball-handling guard, accounted for 16 of his team's points. Thomason chipped in 10 for the Bulldogs who hit 80 percent (8 of 10) from the free throw line.

Jarrett garnered eight rebounds to go along with his game high 17 points.

Romulus also had junior guard Charlie Searcy back in the lineup. He contributed nine points, while Michael Christopher added seven.

Romulus, which won the Mega-Red Divisional title outright a year ago, will return to the hardwood on Jan. 2 against Lincoln.

Then, on Jan. 5 the Eagles will host River Rouge.

Johnson scores career high 39 against Salem

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Plymouth-Salem's veteran coach Bob Brodie got his first look at a Wayne Memorial team coached by Wayne Woodward.

Brodie came away impressed.

He also was impressed by senior guard Gary Johnson, who scored a career high 39 points against the Rocks that helped keep Salem winless in four starts.

"Did he miss a shot?" asked Brodie after his team dropped a 64-57 decision to their non-conference rivals. "He sure didn't look like he missed anything. He's one heck of a player."

Brodie also said the game between the two non-conference rivals was an excellent, hard-fought from beginning to end.

The loss left Salem 0-4 on the season. The Rocks have two more opportunities to win one before the new year. They've been invited to play in the annual Grosse Ile Holiday Tournament which will be staged Dec. 21. They are the tournament's defending champ.

Salem will meet Gibraltar Carlson in the first round of the invitational.

Salem could not stop Johnson. He came up with the big baskets

whenever the Zebras needed them. His 39 points were the best scoring effort by a Wayne player in recent years.

Johnson's teammate, Mike Rashad, also hit in double figures. He had 10.

Salem received 17 points from sophomore David Hoskins.

On Thursday, Wayne's four-game winning streak came to an abrupt end as Ypsilanti bounced back from a loss to arch-rival, Willow Run, to turn back the Zebras, 50-45.

The Bird cousins - Jason and Cedrick - sparked the Braves. Both scored in double figures. Cedrick emerged with a game high 21 and Jason finished with 12.

Johnson scored a team high 17 points.

The loss dropped Wayne into a two-way tied for second with Ypsilanti in the Mega-Red Conference. Willow Run remains atop of the divisional standings with a perfect 2-0 record.

Coach Wayne Woodward and the Zebras have a long break before they return to the competitive hardwood. They are not scheduled to play until Jan. 9 when they travel to River Rouge for another Mega-Red thriller.

WYAA signs up junior hoopsters

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Westland Youth Athletic Association officials announced this week that they are accepting registration from junior basketball players for their winter leagues.

Players may sign up for the Junior Varsity, ages 11-12; Varsity, ages 13-14, and Senior Division, 15-17.

The games are scheduled so not to conflict or interfere with the Middle School basketball program, WYAA officials stress.

Registration will be accepted from 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesdays and 10 to noon on Saturdays at the Lange Compound.

For more information, please

The games are scheduled so not to conflict or interfere with the Middle School basketball program.

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Defense gives Canton coach his first victory

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

Stepping up their game on defense a couple of notches, Plymouth-Canton jolted Brighton, 51-40, to break a modest two-game losing streak.

The victory was the first for first-year basketball coach Jeremy Rheault as the Chiefs' varsity coach.

Brighton didn't score a field goal in the first half and the Bulldogs total scoring output for the first period was a free throw. The hosts trailed 23-8 at the intermission.

"It was an incredible defense

sive effort by our kids," said Rheault on Friday. "I don't recall ever, on the varsity level anyway, when we held an opponent without a field goal for two periods."

And how did he feel about his first victory?

"I really haven't thought about it. Guess I don't have the time because we play Ann Arbor Pioneer tonight (Friday), and they are tough," said the Canton coach. "But, in retrospect, it really feels great."

Canton led 13-1 after the first period, then outscored the Bull-

dogs 10-7 in the next eight minutes to go up 23-8.

The outcome of the game was never in doubt.

With the help of Charlie

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Christner and Chris Grimm, Brighton returned to the pine after the half and looked as if it were a different team. The Bulldogs outscored Canton 18-14 and

closed within 11 (37-26) of eliminating the deficit.

However, that's the closest the hosts came as each team scored 14 points in the final period.

Canton had two players score in double figures. Guard Jay Sofen led the Chiefs with 14 points. The sharpshooting senior hit four three-pointers. Teammate Nick Calauatan chipped in with 10 points. He also connected on two treys.

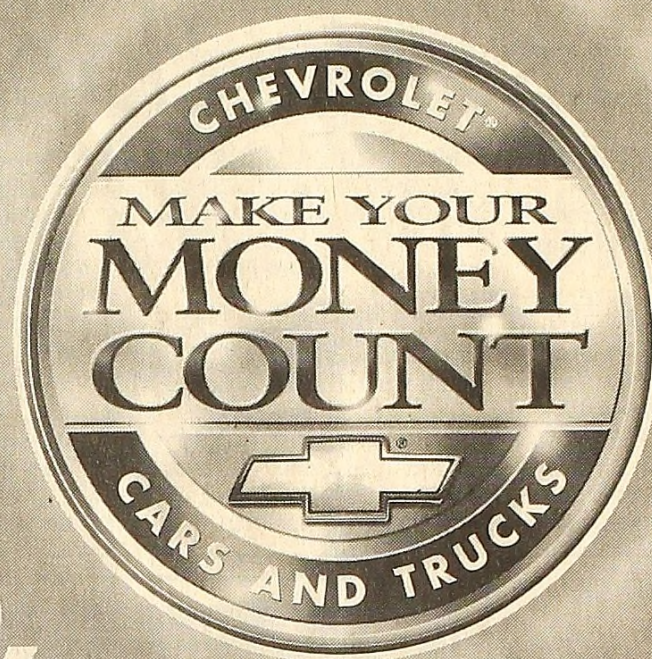
The Chiefs had problems at the free throw line where they managed to capitalize on 15 of 28

free throws. Brighton countered with 21 of 36 with Christner making seven of 10 from the foul line. He finished with 11 points.

Grimm was a perfect 6-for-6 at the charity stripe, and had 10 points for the evening.

Canton carried a 2-1 record into Friday night's game at Pioneer. Coach Rheault and the Chiefs are invited to play in the Round Ball Classic at the University of Detroit. They'll clash with Detroit Rogers Academy at 7:15 p.m.

Canton will open up the Western Lakes, Lakes Division phase of the season on Jan. 5 when they pay the Spartans of Livonia Stevenson a visit.



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Belleville expands bonuses

The City Council voted unanimously to expand the number of holiday employee bonuses to include joint dispatch workers.

In the past, the dispatchers have been overlooked because they are not technically employees of Sumpter Township, nor are they technically employees of the City.

Dispatcher Kathy Plachetzki spoke to the council and commented that she and her co-workers often feel left out.

"Dispatch is always forgotten," she said. "Whether it's Christmas bonuses or employee appreciation day."

Belleville Police Chief Paul Davis said last year, he noticed moral dropped among the three full-time and six part-time dispatchers when they were not offered the \$100 and \$50 holiday bonuses.

Mayor Tom Fielder said he approached Sumpter Township's new supervisor, Elmer Parraghi, to inquire about the two communities chipping in together to offer the bonuses.

Fielder said the supervisor informed him that he is "personally opposed to holiday bonuses for employees," even though union contracts require him to offer them to some of the city's employees.

The City Council disagreed, some members stating the dispatchers are valuable workers, and should be offered the same holiday perks as the city's own employees.

City resident Ralph Mayer

*Dispatcher
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said, "While I've never had to use the service, I have a good feeling knowing they're there."

Students offer Santa a little help

Have you ever wondered what children write when they compose their letters to Santa? About a half dozen Belleville High School students know for sure what kids ask for: They know because they gave Santa some help this holiday season when they responded to the letters from local children.

BHS National Honor Society students took on the task after seeing a classified ad in a local paper: Belleville's Central Business Community was seeking writers to send letters to the children who dropped off their requests in St. Nick's mailbox downtown.

NHS members responded to some 100 letters, and were touched and amused by what some of the children asked for. Any guesses on the most popular request? Here's a clue: it's not a toy. It's a baby brother or baby sister, said NHS member Amanda Long.

On a more commercial note, children asked for Techno Poochi, snow boards and Sony Playstation II (good luck, Santa!).

Some of the quirkiest requests were: "scare my dad," "a pizza," and toys for mom and dad.

A more philanthropic child topped his list with, "I wish for Santa to bring toys for other children," and a helpful letter-writer told Santa, "Don't forget to bring the magic key so you can get in because we don't have a chimney."

The students had some help from one of their advisers, Chris Brasil, special education teacher at BHS.

Brasil had to do a little sneaking around to lend a hand though. It was her duty to retrieve the letters from the mailbox downtown. Of her three children, two are "believers," so she could never let the children see her pick up the letters. The reward was worth the effort, though, when she got to intercept the letters from her own children, and craft Santa's response herself.

Santa's secretaries say they never promise to bring what's on the list; instead, they tell the children they'll try. And they never promise live pets. Looking out for the Big Guy's interests, they typically remind the children to leave out some milk and cookies.

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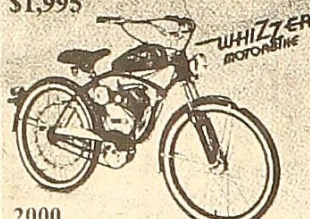
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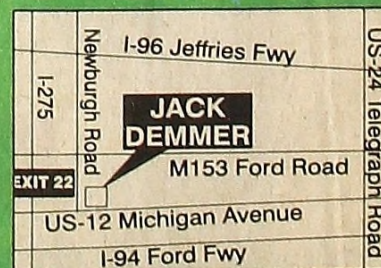
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CADILLAC MEMORIAL, Garden of Christus, lot #673, graves 1 and 2, and 2 vaults. Plots, \$1400 ea. or best. Vaults \$500 each or best. Call 313-563-2170.

5. Personals

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Starting at \$29.99 a week. 1-800-422-3368.

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FOUND: cat, gray and white long hair, white boots. Wearing purple flea collar when found. Appears to be 1-yr. old. Found in Wayne, Fletcher and Currier Streets. Please call 734-782-4517 to claim.

32. Help Wanted

\$1,500 A MONTH PT \$4,500-\$7,200 FT. Work in home. International Company needs supervisors & Assistants. Training. Free Book: 800-892-7485. RichesYouDeserve.com

2. Memoriam

\$2,000 SIGN-ON BONUS

RN's Up To \$20
LPN's Up To \$17
Full time or part time for 3-11 shift Charge Nurses. West Suburban facility with good reputation.

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Affiliate of G.C.O.H.
Non-Profit

DRIVERS Local Work Home Daily

RTL Transportation Systems, a quality truckload carrier serving the auto industry has acquired new business in Romulus, Mich and seeks 3 experienced & reliable drivers who will enjoy the following package:

\$150 DAILY FLAT RATE
(5-6 DAY WORK WEEKS/
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EXCELLENT EQUIPMENT
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This is your opportunity to join a growing & progressive company who appreciates drivers. Apply & interview at our affiliated company offices of:

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Romulus, Michigan
OR call Steve @
(800) 748-0192 ext. 134

RTL Transportation Systems, Inc.

DIRECT CARE STAFF

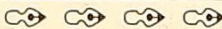
Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (248) 685-8216, Milford.

TELEMARKETING PROS

Inbound calls. No cold calling. Top daily pay for full time workers!

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START TODAY!!**

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DRIVERS

Retail distribution company in Willow Run area needs full-time drivers to deliver daily routes.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS
*COMPETITIVE WAGE AND BENEFITS PACKAGE
*BONUS PROGRAM AFTER 90 DAYS
*CDL-B LICENSE REQUIRED

Apply at 1942 McGregor Rd., Ypsilanti, or call (734)484-0100, ext. "0". EOE

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE CLERK

Full or part time. Salary and benefits commensurate with experience. Contact Jill Stonier at 734-697-8058.

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Farmington Health Care Center has full time opening. Candidate will be responsible for implementing daily activities and keeping track of daily attendance records. Must be energetic, self-motivated, enthusiastic and a team player. Prefer experience in long term care. Please call Nicole Embry, Activities Director at 248-477-7373.

AEROBIC INSTRUCTORS

Fitness Factory, a leader in community and corporate fitness program, is looking to hire aerobic instructors. 1 - 12 hrs. per week, many locations, we'll train you.

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ALL SHIFTS - WILL TRAIN

\$7.00-8.00 per HOUR + Belleville
For Immediate Consideration
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CORPORATE PERSONNEL SERVICES
5947 N. Wayne Road
(Between Ford and Warren)
734-722-7990

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With 106 skilled nursing facilities in 21 states and the District of Columbia, Centennial HealthCare is positioned to excel as a leader in the fast-growing long-term healthcare industry. We are currently seeking an ADMINISTRATOR with leadership qualities to plan, direct and control the operation of the THS of Wayne, a 49 bed skilled nursing facility in Wayne, Michigan. This position will provide excellent opportunity for candidates who have recently completed an Administrator-in-Training program or have 1+ years of experience. Excellent organizational, communication and inter-personal skills are required.

In addition to an excellent compensation/benefits package, we offer ongoing training and an open, cooperative environment. Please forward resumes to: Attn: Corporate Recruiter, 400 Perimeter Center Terrace, Suite 650, jdougherty@centennialhc.com. EOE M/F/D/V

ANSWER PHONES in our Westland office, full time. Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Call 734-728-4572.

Call 729-3300 to place your classified ad!

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\$8.50 - \$9.50/hr.

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Reload 5:00pm-9:00pm
Immediate Openings
LOCATION:
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**Call Now
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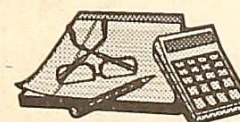
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32. Help Wanted

OFFICE MEMO



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ACCOUNTS PAYABLE/INVOICING

World renown bedding manufacturer needs an experienced Accounts Payable/Invoicer to assist the Controller. Must have five years experience in Payables and Invoicing at a manufacturer. Prefer Windows experience and some Accounting training. Send salary requirements with resume to: R.K. Arnold, Controller, Serta Restokraft Mattress Co., 38025 JayKay Drive, Romulus, MI 48174 or fax to 734-727-0005.

ROMULUS PUBLIC LIBRARY
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ROMULUS, MICH. 48174

QUALITY ASSURANCE POSITION

Tube Fabrication Company looking for energetic and enthusiastic person for entry level quality Assurance Position. The following are a plus: strong math skills, knowledge of SPC, familiarity of shop tools and environment. Communication skills and computer skills a must. Competitive wages, vacation, sick pay, medical insurance and 401K.

APPLY:

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Position available. Will train, experience preferred. Contact, Derwyn at Best Western Gateway International Hotel, Detroit Metro Airport, 734-728-2800 ext. 7950.

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BOOKKEEPER WITH invoicing and typing skills, general office duties. Call 734-595-1980 for appt.

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CALL NOW! clerical position, full time, filing, general office duties. Call 734-728-4572.

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Yard Switchers \$14.00
Floor Supervisors \$15.00
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CHILD CARE workers, must be 18 years or older, be able to work flexible hours. Fun place to work! Must be loving, caring and dependable! Some benefits offered. 734-753-2273 or 734-692-2273.

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Good driving record, drug-free, mechanically and electrically inclined. 40 hours, Mon.-Fri. Benefits. Send resume to: LH Co. 35731 W. Michigan Ave., Wayne, MI 48184.

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CLERICAL, full time, filing, general office duties. Call 734-728-4572.

COOK AND waitstaff, full/part time, must be flexible. Westland area. Apply, Howard's Hoagie's, 1553 S. Wayne Rd. or call 734-467-7111.

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CRT/RRT

Full time position available in our Farmington office for day shift and night shift. Prefer one year ICU experience.

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We are a drug-free facility EOE M/F/H

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DELIVERY DRIVERS
Good pay and benefits. Call John at 734-595-3810, ext. 22.

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DELIVERY OF SINGLE Copies for the Ann Arbor News, in the Plymouth Canton Area. Your Route will be to stores and racks. A large van or truck will be needed for Sunday delivery. Call 734-994-6751, ask for Ric Misiak.

DIRECT CARE WORKERS

Needed for clean, organized group homes in Westland, Inkster, Woodhaven and Romulus. All shifts available with benefits. Will train. Call 722-2221.

DIRECT CARE staff needed, great benefits; hiring all positions. 248-474-3520 or fax resume 248-474-0124.

DIRECT CARE STAFF needed. All shifts available, competitive pay rate. Please call Barbara 734-473-3646 or 734-721-3641.

DIRECT CARE STAFF
All shifts available. Full/part time. Exp. working conditions. Benefits. Exp. preferred but not necessary. 734-480-0675.

DIRECT CARE Staff wanted, to work in group home. Please call 734-753-5638, Mon.-Fri., ask for Mina or Michelle.

DIRECT CARE Staff wanted, to work with well behaved men. Please call 734-942-1010, Monday-Friday.

DIRECT CARE STAFF

We need people who are willing to help individuals who are physically fragile. People with a kind and loving heart. Will train. \$7.71 to start, full/part time, medical/dental and vacation/sick pay. Please call 734-461-2204.

DRIVER

CDL Class A, endorsements H, X. 2 years experience. Clean record. 721-7900.

DIRECT CARE

With high school Diploma and valid drivers license to work in well maintained group home in Romulus, Livonia, Bloomfield or Dearborn Heights. Great benefits (medical, dental, life, retirement). Competitive wages. Call 248-391-2281.

Distribution Company in the Willow Run area has the following job openings available:

WAREHOUSE
*Immediate Openings
*\$8.50/hr. to start
3 shifts

RECEPTIONIST

Part time, 7:30am to noon, Mon.-Fri. Must be dependable, detail oriented and self-motivated. Word/Excel desired. \$10.00/hr.

CUSTODIAN

Part-time, approximately 25 hrs./wk. Mon.-Fri. Trash removal and general cleaning duties. \$9.00/hr.

If interested in any of the above, apply at 1942 McGregor Rd., Ypsilanti or call (734) 484-0100, ext. "0". EOE

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Full time, Mon.-Fri., midnight - 10am, CDL-B making metro deliveries. Full benefit package, drug test required. Apply, Parts Plus Warehouse, 41839 Michigan Ave., Canton, 9-12am or fax resume to 734-397-3332.

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For local work in Romulus area. CDL-A license required. Over \$600 per week with guaranteed overtime. 248-559-7744.

DRIVERS

Needed for Air Freight Co. at Metro Airport. Must have clean driving record and chauffers license. Drug screen and physicals given. Health care & 104K plan available. All shifts. Call 1-800-SUREWAY for details between 9:00am and 4:00pm.

DRIVERS

\$14.05/Hr

Seasonal Driver positions available.

Must have:

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*DOT Qualification Required

Immediate full-time openings available. Inquiries being accepted at our 540 S. Mansfield, Ypsilanti, MI location.

For more information call:

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DRIVERS

Retail distribution company in Willow Run area needs part-time drivers to deliver evening routes.

*IMMEDIATE OPENINGS
*\$11.50/HR. TO START
*3 TO 4 NIGHTS PER WK.
(MAY INCREASE)
*CDL-B LICENSE REQUIRED

Apply at 1942 McGregor Rd., Ypsilanti or call (734) 484-0100, ext. "0". EOE

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (248) 634-1499, Holly.

EARN HUGE money working at home. Call 313-927-6012.

EASY JOB! We need help in our Westland office, full time. Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Call 734-728-4572.

EMS EDUCATION

Start your Emergency Medical Services career with classes at Huron Valley Ambulance Center for EMS Education. Basic EMT classes begin in January. For info, call HVA at (734) 477-6331. Now approved for Michigan Merit Award Recipients and VA eligible students!

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Individual(s) needed to perform field investigation and testing. Experience preferred. Travel required. Pay \$9/hr. and up, with benefits to start. Fax resume to: 734-955-6604 or call 734-955-6600. EEO

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Belleville National Strawberry Festival is looking for the most aggressive, self-motivated, management-minded, developmental person in the Belleville area to take charge of the 25th Anniversary Festival. We are seeking a qualified person. To receive additional information, please call Ralph Nodwell at 734-697-0104. A resume will be required.

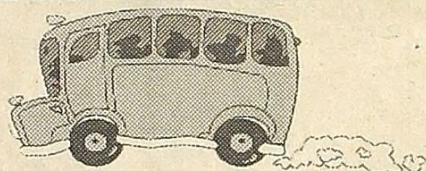
DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (734) 451-9526, Canton.

FIRE Extinguishing System Service Tech/Installer. Experience or will train mechanically inclined person. Westland, 734-261-8077.

Call 729-3300 to place your classified ad!

32. Help Wanted



SUBSTITUTE SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS NEEDED FOR ROMULUS SCHOOLS:



High School Graduate or GED



Must have a valid Michigan Driver's License



Five year good driving record



Able to pass a Physical and Drug Test



Available Monday-Friday, early mornings and early afternoons



Desire to work with children



Training will be provided for qualified applicants

Applications Accepted
Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

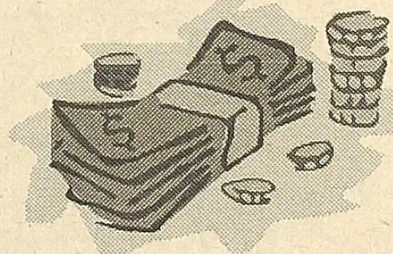


Romulus Community Schools
Transportation Department
36540 Grand Road, Romulus, MI 48174
(734) 941-1600



32. Help Wanted

CASH?!?!?



Easy Cash - 1 Day Per Week
We Are On A Bus Route!

You get here, we'll get you to your job site.

Call Mike Today
734-729-4000

You are paid the day you work!

32. Help Wanted

DIRECT CARE:

With H.S. Diploma and Valid Drivers License to work in well maintained group home in Romulus, Livonia, Bloomfield or Dearborn Hts., Great benefits (Medical, Dental, Life, Retirement)
Competitive Wages.

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FULL AND PART TIME POSITIONS AVAILABLE....

Full time career or part time spending money, we may have what you're looking for. We're where the action is! We keep it fast paced, we keep it fun! You help us grow...We help you grow. You may stay a lot longer than you've planned. We love to brag about our 5, 10, 20 and 30 year employees! We are in need of Waitstaff, Cooks and Utility persons. Please apply in person, Bray's Hamburger's, 35650 Ford Rd., Westland or call 722-2950.

FULL TIME Cashiers, all shifts, Mon.-Fri., full benefits. Call Chef Bob, 734-957-5149, Belleville area.

GENERAL LABORERS, mobile home set-up, full time, outdoor light construction, year round. \$10/hr. 734-721-1010.

GENERAL OFFICE, help wanted, full time, filing, general office duties. Call 734-728-4572.

GROUP HOME seeking direct care workers. Southgate/Wayne area, full pd. health ins., afternoons, weekends, mid-night shifts. Starting salary trained, \$7.71, untrained \$7.41. 120 day perfect attendance bonus will be a 19" color TV. Call Mrs. Hall, 313-581-7779 or 734-942-7920.

HAIRSTYLIST/ MANAGING STYLIST

*Assistant Management and full-time positions
*Competitive wage plus high retail commissions
*Low cost complete health benefits
*Paid holidays & vacations
*Immediate clientele

Positions available with BoRics located at 2430 S. Wayne Rd. at Palmer and 36430 Ford Rd. between Wayne and Newburgh. Apply in person or call Lauretta at 1-800-668-8484.

HALLMARK STYLE Greeting Card Route. 55 established locations. Great income. Free info. 1-800-277-9424.

HELLENIC CULTURAL CENTER

Now accepting applications for the following part time positions:

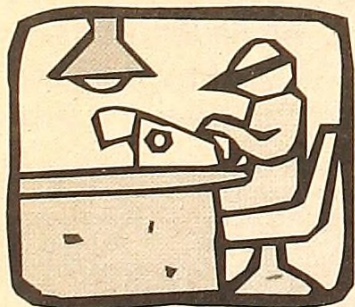
*Banquet Waitstaff
*Dishwashers

Wages starting at \$8 per hour. \$9 after 30 days. Apply in person only, 36375 Joy Rd., Westland between Wayne and Newburgh.

32. Help Wanted

REPORTERS NEEDED!

FOR MICHIGAN COMMUNITY NEWSPAPERS



CALL MIKE AT 734.729.4000

HELP WANTED, clerical position, full time, filing, general office duties. Call 734-728-4572.

FLOOR INSTALLERS

Must have truck, tools and insurance. Good pay. Call 313-382-3622.

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New high rates! All areas - all shifts.

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Now accepting applications for Hi Lo Drivers and Material Handlers to perform functions in our manufacturing plant/warehouse facility. Must be able to pass industrial lift truck/math tests.

We offer:

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*Opportunity for advancement
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In Canton area. Deliver papers door to door, only twice a week. Get paid weekly. Good earning potential. Must have own reliable vehicle. Call Kelton 734-729-4000, ext. 12.

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For part time bookkeeper at local church. Experience needed. Call 734-941-5056 for additional info.



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*Great Pay
*No weekends, evenings or holidays!

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Part time, Wednesday afternoons and Saturday mornings. No experience necessary, will train, must be reliable. Apply in person at: Michigan Community Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Avenue, (3/4 mile W. of Wayne Rd.), Wayne.

INTERNATIONAL COMPANY Needs help with mail order. \$500-\$7000 mo. PT/FT From home. Full training. Free Booklet. 920-924-8400
www.achievedreams.com

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (734) 397-6939, Canton.

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JANITORIAL

Wayne and Romulus areas. Please call 734-479-4000.

LABORER NEEDED

In Romulus area. \$7.20 per hour to start with regular overtime and chance to advance. 1-800-875-2699.

LEARN MANUFACTURING. No experience necessary. \$8.00/hr. Apply in person: 5555 Treadwell off Van Born near Wayne Rd.

LICENSED MECHANIC needed. Five day work week, 734-397-8800 ask for Bob.

LITE CLERICAL, Part time, responsible individual. Call Reynolds' Chiropractic Center 734-697-6616.

LOCAL REMODELING company experiencing rapid expansion is seeking:
CARPENTERS
LABORERS
SUB CONTRACTORS
Entry level and experienced. Must have own transportation. 734-721-2595.

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (248) 344-8728, Northville.

MAINTENANCE helper for apartment complex. Good pay, position IMMEDIATELY! 734-326-2770.

MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT

Experience preferred. Call Dan Dufore 248-477-7373.

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Are you the one to manage a high volume, fast paced, fun, midnight shift for a young and growing company? If so, you will be rewarded with a good salary, paid medical and dental, paid vacation and a chance to advance and grow with us. Contact John Bray at Bray's Hamburgers, 35650 Ford Rd., 2 blocks W. of Wayne Rd., Westland.

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University of Michigan Health System

Opportunities exist for immediate employment with Central Staff Resource, Ambulatory Care in the following positions: **Licensed Practical Nurse**, temporary full and part-time positions; **Medical Assistant**, permanent full-time and temporary full and part-time positions. Work is available at Ann Arbor and satellite clinic locations. For further information about opportunities at a world-class health system, contact Deanna Beyer M.S. R.N. at 734-763-5989.

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University of Michigan Health System

MEDICAL ASSISTANT

Now hiring FT/PT medical assistant. Send resume to Seratec Plasma Center 813 W. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti, MI 48197. Attn: Deedra Stanley, 734-482-6790 or fax 734-482-5722

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Accepting applications for all positions at Front Desk, Night Audit, Housekeeping, Laundry and Maintenance Department. Full and part time positions available. Apply in person for an interview at:
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Average annual earnings \$29,000. Pension, hospitalization, vacations and more. Paid training, no experience necessary. Attend our one hour information session with same day interviews.

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Romulus
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NOW HIRING!

Start up to \$11.50/hr. FT/PT. Consumer Research Co. needs phone surveyor for Wayne area. No selling. Will train. Call 1-800-846-7312, ext. 181, 9am-9pm, Sun.-Fri.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, full time, filing, general office duties. Call 734-728-4572.

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (734) 844-7128, Canton.

PART TIME Therapist, Master level. Send resume to: 9313 Middlebelt, Romulus, MI 48174 or call 734-947-0012.

PART TIME YOUTH SPORTS INSTRUCTOR

Call Plymouth YMCA at 734-453-2904.

PART-TIME DRIVERS

Ideal position for 'retirees'. Local distribution company in Willow Run needs drivers to work 1 or 2 days a week. Some shuttle work, some deliveries. CDL-B license required. Apply at 1942 McGregor Rd., Ypsilanti, or call (734)484-0100, ext. "0". EOE

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN Community Practice

FT position, excellent pay, limited weekend hours. Many advancement opportunities available. Call Lee Ann or Jon at (734) 941-0755.

PORTER NEEDED Part-time

20-30 hrs. Collision Pro in Wayne. 734-641-0750.

PRESTIGE PRINTING of Belleville

is taking applications for:
*Printing Press Operator
*Front Counter Persons
*Bindery & Packaging
*Computer Graphics
*Delivery Persons
Will train the right people. Call Doug at 734-699-6969.

RECEPTIONIST

Pleasant person, good people skills to work in Wayne office part time. Knowledge of Windows, Excel, typing and good telephone skills. Call 734-722-2221.

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (734) 425-4655, Westland.

SALES ASSISTANT
An electronics company is seeking dependable, experienced sales assistant. Good salary and benefits. Please call 734-941-8100.

SECRETARY

An electronics company is seeking a good, dependable, experienced secretary. Good salary and benefits. 734-941-8100.

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Unarmed positions with Alert Protective Services. Competitive wage, paid training, paid vacation, 401K plan, weekly pay, etc. No experience necessary. Contact Dorie at 1-800-521-9521. EOE

SEMI DRIVERS Must have 2 yrs. experience to drive local. Call 734-231-7950 or 734-955-5560, ask for John.

SHUTTLE BUS DRIVERS

2nd shift. Apply at US Park, 9601 Middlebelt, Romulus, (just S. of I-94). 734-946-8001.

SIDING/ROOFING/ GUTTER INSTALLER
Own transportation. Steady work, pay commensurate to experience. 734-395-4334.

SMALL ROOFING Co. needs experienced laborers for mostly weekend work. Must have own transportation. 734-941-3519.

STOCK PERSON

Drug-free, 20 hrs., Mon-Fri, \$8 per hour to start. Benefits. Send resume to: LH Co., 35731 W. Michigan, Wayne, MI 48184.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS - ELEMENTARY

National Heritage Academies, a charter school management company that manages 27 public schools in Michigan, North Carolina and New York, has immediate needs for Substitute Teachers for the 2000-2001 school year.

Please submit a current resume to:
Metro Charter Academy
ATTN: Principal
34800 Ecorse Road
Romulus, MI 48174
Fax: (734)641-6530

DIRECT CARE STAFF

Must be at least 18, have valid drivers license, high school diploma or GED. Flexible hours and benefits. Call M-F, 9a-3p, (734) 513-5121, Garden City.

TEACHERS 3rd Grade Vocal Music

National Heritage Academies, a charter school management company, manages 27 highly academic grade schools throughout Michigan, New York and North Carolina.

The ideal candidates will possess strong academic skills and promote charter development. Candidates must be comfortable with high parental involvement. Qualified candidates must have appropriate teacher certification.

Salary is competitive and commensurate with experience. Please submit a letter of interest and current resume to:

Metro Charter Academy
ATTN: Principal
34800 Ecorse Road
Romulus, MI 48174
Fax: (734)641-6530

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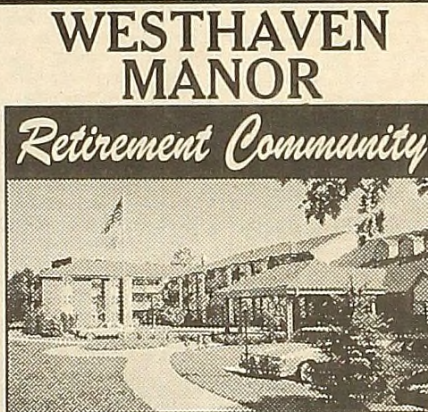
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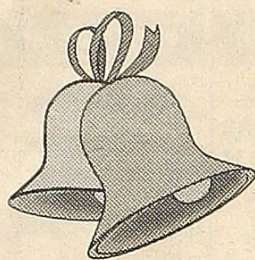
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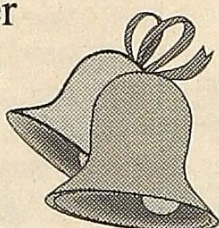
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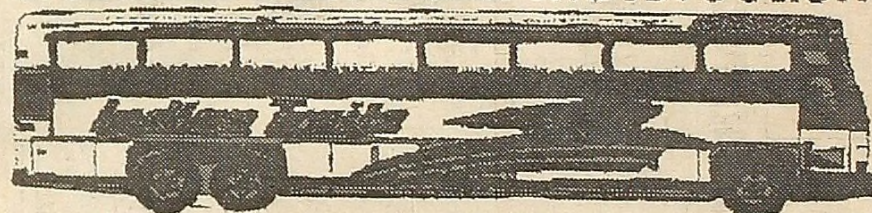
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